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HEADQUARTERS OFFICE
of the
NORTH CAROLINA STATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION
2301 Clark Avenue, Raleigh, N. C.
October 1, 1960 - September 30, 1961
Mrs. Marie B. Noell, R. N., Executive Secretary

Membership as of December 31, 1960	3,534
Membership as of September 30, 1961	3,563
Letters written	9,796
Cards written	809
Packages dispatched	1,185
Membership transfers:	
From one state nurses' association to another	34
From one district nurses' association to another	18
History of Nursing in North Carolina --copies sold	4
Orders processed for ANA pins	36
Conferences recorded	57

Numerous conferences were held with officers, chairmen of committees, and members of the Association; section officers and committee chairmen; district officers and members; legal counsel; officials and personnel of departments and agencies of state government; hospital administrators, insurance administrator; leaders of allied organizations; representatives of book publishing and printing firms; student nurses; representatives of State Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education; members of the North Carolina General Assembly; nurses and lay members of North Carolina Committee for American Nurses' Foundation Fund-Raising Campaign; hotel and convention managers; members of ANA staff; members of staff of N.C. State College Department of Statistics; directors and teachers in schools of nursing.

Field Work Done

Districts Two, Ten, Twenty, Twenty-One, Twenty-Seven, and Twenty-Eight were visited. Visits included addressing district associations, district sections, and local units. Talks included discussion of NCSNA program of work, legislation, Economic Security Program, establishment of registry, section projects, and redistricting.

Meetings Attended

National

ANA Economic Security Conference, December 5-9, 1960, Ithaca, New York.
ANA Conference on Legislation, March 22-24, 1961, Washington, D. C.
ANA Conference of SNA Presidents and Executive Secretaries with ANA Board of Directors, June 26-28, 1961, New York.
ANA Conference on Improvement of Patient Care, February 14-17, 1961, New York.

State

Student Nurse Association of North Carolina, Executive Board, October 6, 1960, Raleigh; November 15, 1960, Raleigh; March 15, 1961, Durham; Finance Committee, September 15, 1961, Raleigh.
North Carolina Conference for Social Service, annual workshop, October 19, 1960, Raleigh; Health Steering Committee, February 16, 1961, Raleigh; annual meeting, April 17, 1961, Durham.

North Carolina Committee on Nursing and Nursing Education, October 21, 1960, Chapel Hill; January 20, 1961, Chapel Hill; April 21, 1961, Chapel Hill; July 21, 1961, Chapel Hill.

North Carolina Commission on Patient Care, October 21, 1960, Chapel Hill; January 20, 1961, Chapel Hill; April 21, 1961, Chapel Hill; July 21, 1961, Chapel Hill.

NCSNA Annual Convention, October 24-28, 1960, Durham.

NCSNA Board of Directors: Annual meeting, October 25, 1960, Durham; post-convention meeting, October 28, 1960, Durham; called meeting, March 1, 1961, Raleigh; midyear meeting, March 15, 1961, Durham.

PRama, statewide conference on Public Relations, November 10, 1960, Raleigh.

North Carolina Dairy Council, dinner honoring Mrs. Bessie Ware, October 19, 1960, Durham.

Wake County Tuberculosis Association, annual meeting, November 17, 1960, Raleigh.

Advisory Committee and Demonstration of Home Care Project in Person County, November 21, 1960, Roxboro.

State Legislative Council, annual meeting, November 22, 1960, Raleigh; special meeting, June 13, 1961, Raleigh; Executive Board, November 22, 1960; Nominating Committee, September 6, 1961, Raleigh.

North Carolina Health Council, annual meeting, December 7, 1960, Executive Committee: November 22, 1960, Raleigh; January 24, 1961, Raleigh; April 4, 1961, Raleigh; June 1, 1961, Raleigh; September 22, 1961, Raleigh.

Steering Committee North Carolina Committee for ANF Fund-Raising Campaign, December 1, 1960, Raleigh.

Conference on Federal Medical Assistance to Aged Program for representatives of NCSNA and Dr. Ellen Winston, North Carolina Commissioner of Public Welfare, January 4, 1961, Raleigh.

Conference on Gerontology, Duke University, February 7, 1961, Durham.

UNC School of Nursing Conference on "Progressive Nursing Care", Dr. Faye Abdellah, Speaker, February 10, 1961, Chapel Hill.

Conference on Teaching Social and Health Aspects of Nursing, "What Is My Patient Like", February 14, 1961, Raleigh.

Mental Health Association of North Carolina, annual meeting, February 17, 1961, Raleigh.

Public hearing, Joint Appropriations Committee, North Carolina General Assembly, on Nurse Scholarship Appropriation, February 23, 1961, Raleigh.

Public hearing, Senate Public Health Committee, on SB 23, February 23, 1961, Raleigh; March 30, 1961, Raleigh.

Public hearing, House Committee on Judiciary II, on HB 582, May 4, 1961, Raleigh; May 11, 1961, Raleigh.

Public hearing, House Committee on Health, on HB 385 and SB 23, April 26, 1961, Raleigh.

Public hearing on SB 23, House Committee on Health, May 4, 1961, Raleigh.

Legislative Conference of NCSNA Board of Directors and Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education, March 1, 1961, Raleigh.

Conference on Adjustment of Chronically Ill and Aged, March 7, 1961, Duke University, Durham.

Coordinating Council of NCSNA and NCLN, March 15, 1961, Durham.

North Carolina League for Nursing, annual convention, March 16-17, 1961, Durham.

Conference called by North Carolina Medical Care Commission on policies and rules for administration of proposed State Scholarship Program for Nurses, April 6, 1961, Raleigh.

Annual Food Service Institute, April 5, 1961, Raleigh.

Governor's Commission on Employ the Physically Handicapped, April 13, 1961, Raleigh.

NCSNA Institute on "Better Utilization of Available Nursing Service Personnel", for NSA Section, April 19, 1961, Raleigh.
NCSNA Institute on "The Professional Private Duty Nurse--Her Practice, Functions, Standards, and Qualifications", April 27, 1961, Fayetteville, and May 5, 1961, Charlotte.
NCSNA Institute on "Infections", for Operating Room Nurses Conference Group, April 26, 1961, Durham.
NCSNA Institute on "Clinical Nursing--What Do You Teach?" for EACT Section, May 3, 1961, Greensboro.
NCSNA Institute on Professional Counseling and Placement Service for district PC&PS representatives, May 19, 1961, Raleigh.
NCSNA Institute on "Improvement of Nursing Practice" for General Duty and Head Nurse Sections, May 24, 1961, Rocky Mount, and May 26, 1961, Salisbury.
Occupational Health Nurses Luncheon, N. C. Industrial Safety Conference, May 11, 1961, Durham.
North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs, annual convention, general session, May 18, 1961, Pinehurst.
Governor's Council on Mental Health, May 19, 1961, Raleigh.
North Carolina Hospital Association, annual convention, June 21-23, 1961, Asheville.
North Carolina Public Health Association, annual convention, June 29-30, 1961, Greensboro.
Conference for representatives of NCSNA, NCLN, Red Cross, and State Board of Health concerning planning for Nursing in National Defense, August 10, 1961, Raleigh.

Committees of NCSNA

Committee on Convention Arrangements, October 6, 1960, Durham; June 21, 1961, Asheville.
Committee on Program, EACT Section, January 11, 1961, Raleigh.
Committee on Nursing Care of Chronically Ill and Aged, January 13, 1961, Raleigh; September 12, 1961, Raleigh.
Committee on Bylaws, January 16, 1961, Raleigh.
Committee on Professional Practice, January 31, 1961, Raleigh; June 8, 1961, Raleigh.
Committee on Program, NSA Section, February 1, 1961, Raleigh.
Planning Committee, Head Nurse and General Duty Section Institutes, April 28, 1961, Raleigh.
Committee on Program, Public Health Section, April 25, 1961, Raleigh.
Section Nominating Committees:
- General Duty, May 2, 1961, Raleigh
- Head Nurses, June 1, 1961, Raleigh
- Office Nurses, June 1, 1961, Raleigh
- Private Duty, June 7, 1961, Raleigh
- Occupational Health, June 23, 1961, Raleigh
- EACT, July 6, 1961, Raleigh
- NSA, July 19, 1961, Raleigh.

Section Executive Committees:
- EACT, November 16, 1960, Raleigh; April 5, 1961, Raleigh; May 24, 1961, Raleigh.
- NSA, November 18, 1960, Raleigh; August 24, 1961, Raleigh.
- General Duty, June 6, 1961, Raleigh
- Occupational Health, November 30, 1960, Raleigh; September 9, 1961, Raleigh
- Office, September 7, 1961, Raleigh
- Head Nurse, November 14, 1960, Raleigh.

Operating Room Conference Group, January 25, 1961, Raleigh.
Private Duty, March 6, 1961, Raleigh.
Public Health, April 25, 1961, Raleigh.

NCSNA Committee on Nominations, June 2, 1961, Raleigh.

Committee on Promotion of Program, Public Relations, and Membership, May 18, 1961, Raleigh.

Committee on FS&Q, EACT Section, May 24, 1961, Raleigh.

Committee on FS&Q, General Duty Section, June 8, 1961, Raleigh.

Committee on Legislation, conference with deans or representatives of collegiate schools of nursing concerning study of needs in North Carolina for federal aid to collegiate schools of nursing, July 18, 1961, Raleigh.

Committee on Finance, September 25, 1961, Raleigh.

Committee on Registries, September 27, 1961, Raleigh.

Miscellaneous

Headquarters served as a source of information and advice for members of NCSNA, other nurses, allied organizations, official agencies, and the general public and processed many inquiries involving information and/or advice on matters concerning nurses and nursing.

Prepared and dispatched articles relating to nursing to newspapers and various periodicals, including releases on 1960 NCSNA convention, institutes and workshops sponsored by NCSNA, recipient of Lee Parker Scholarship, and ANA biennial convention.

Prepared and dispatched notification of election to all new officers of NCSNA and sections and report of actions of 1960 convention.

Dispatched informative material to members of Board of Directors; district and section officers; alumnae presidents, registrars, and chairmen of committees.

Prepared and distributed minutes and reports of numerous meetings of NCSNA Board of Directors, committees, and conferences.

Prepared and distributed material for new district officers, including the Manual for District Officers.

Distributed materials to districts for 1961 membership campaigns, including posters and other promotional material, and materials for American Journal of Nursing subscription plan.

Prepared questionnaire on salaries and other working conditions for occupational health nurses; distributed questionnaire to North Carolina industries employing occupational health nurses; consulted with Department of Statistics, N.C. State College, on tabulation of questionnaire results; and prepared and distributed report of results to all occupational health nurses and personnel directors in North Carolina industries employing such nurses.

Maintained NCSNA membership records as accurately as possible according to sections and districts.

Dispatched to all 1961 nursing school graduates "Courtesy ANA Membership Cards" and letter of welcome from NCSNA.

Prepared and distributed forms for use of district nurses' associations and district sections in submitting suggestions for NCSNA and section officers and for NCSNA section committees.

Prepared and edited four issues of Tar Heel Nurse, official organ of NCSNA.

Prepared and supervised publication of annual convention reports.

Prepared 1960 printed convention program.

Made preparation for 1960 NCSNA convention.

Prepared and distributed letter-bulletins to district associations on ANF Fund-Raising Campaign.

Processed orders from members for ANA pins.

Prepared and dispatched material to North Carolina Representatives and

Senators in the United States Congress supporting measures on ANA legislative program.

Conducted survey among collegiate schools of nursing in North Carolina concerning anticipated need in next five years for scholarships, construction, and instruction.

Prepared and dispatched information on state legislation concerning nurses to district association officers, presidents of alumnae associations, NCSNA Board of Directors and committee chairmen, and members of the North Carolina General Assembly.

Made preparation for eight institutes conducted in April and May, 1961, for sections, Operating Room Nurses Conference Group, and district PC&PS representatives.

Made study of nursing needs of older citizens and prepared brief for North Carolina Commissioner of Public Welfare on need for home nursing care of this age group, in connection with Medical Assistance to the Aged Program.

Prepared for printing the revised NCSNA Bylaws and distributed copies to members of NCSNA Board of Directors, chairmen of NCSNA committees, officers of district associations, and chairmen of district sections.

Assisted NCSNA Committee on Bylaws in reviewing revisions in district bylaws.

PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING AND PLACEMENT SERVICE
of the
NORTH CAROLINA STATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION
October 1, 1960 - September 30, 1961
Helen E. Peeler, R. N., Counselor

PC&PS Application Forms distributed		723
PC&PS Application Forms received		302
Total number of records reopened		131
Total number of original applications filed with NCSNA PC&PS since the beginning of program		4,351
Total number of biographies submitted to employers		139
Total number of biographies submitted to professional registries		159
Total number of biographies submitted to other PC&PS offices		4
Total number of other biographies submitted		5
Total number of registrants accepting positions with assistance from PC&PS		66
In North Carolina	45	
In other states	21	
Total number of interviews and conferences		595
Professional nurses	273	
Student nurses	27	
Practical nurses	7	
Prospective student nurses	30	
Employers of nurses	115	
Other interviews and conferences	143	
Job Description Forms distributed		101
Job Description Forms received		97
Notices of positions referred to registrants		32
Total number of positions filled		55
By registrants from NCSNA PC&PS	45	
By registrants from other PC&PS offices	10	
Letters and cards written		4,792
Packages dispatched		303

Field Work Done by Counselor

Twenty-one special counseling days in the districts—three in District One, two in District Two, two in District Three, two in District Five, one in District Nine, one in District Twelve, one in District Thirteen, one in District Fourteen, one in District Fifteen, one in District Seventeen, one in District Eighteen, two in District Nineteen, one in District Twenty, one in District Twenty-one, and one in District Twenty-four. Visited hospitals and health departments and discussed membership, activities and programs of NCSNA.

Attended the following district meetings: One, Two, Thirteen, Fifteen, and Twenty-One. Gave an illustrated lecture to members of District Fifteen on the topic "PC&PS and Economic Security". Spoke to members of District Twenty-One on the topic "Redistricting of District Twenty-One and NCSNA Membership".

Talked with four Professional Adjustments II Classes on PC&PS and other NCSNA programs; six classes of affiliating students at Dorothea Dix Hospital, Raleigh, on "Opportunities of Psychiatric Nursing and in the Mental Health Field"; one class of senior students on "Functions and Activities of NCSNA"; staff nurses in one hospital and one district health department on "Programs of NCSNA and PC&PS".

Meetings Attended by Counselor

National

ANA Section Regional Conference, February 14-18, 1961, New York.
ANA Counselors' Conference, August 28-30, 1961, New York.

State

Board of Directors, NCSNA, Durham, October 25 and 28, 1960; call meeting, Raleigh, March 1, 1961; Durham, March 15, 1961.
Annual Convention, NCSNA, Durham, October 26-28, 1960.
Annual Meeting, Advisory Council, NCSNA, Durham, October 25, 1960.
Annual Meeting of Coordinating Council of NCSNA and NCLN, Durham, March 15, 1961.
Annual Meeting of NCLN, Durham, March 16 and 17, 1961.
Annual Meeting of SNANC, Durham, October 24, 1960; Executive Board of SNANC, Raleigh, October 6, Durham, October 24 and Raleigh, November 15, 1960; Durham, March 15, 1961.
Statewide SNANC Institute, Durham, March 22, 1961.
NCSNA NSA Section Workshop, Raleigh, April 19, 1961.
NCSNA Institute for Operating Room Nurses, Durham, April 26, 1961.
NCSNA Private Duty Workshop, Fayetteville, April 27, and Charlotte, May, 5, 1961.
NCSNA PC&PS Conference, Raleigh, May 19, 1961.
Conference for faculty members of Schools of Nursing, Durham, October 27, 1960.
Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Health Council, Raleigh, December 7, 1960.
Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Vocational Guidance Association, Chapel Hill, March 3 and 4, 1961.
NCSNA EACT Workshop, Greensboro, May 3, 1961.
Annual Meeting of the Medical Society of North Carolina, Asheville, May 8-10, 1961.
NCSNA, General Duty and Head Nurse Workshops, Rocky Mount, May 24, and in Salisbury, May 26, 1961.
Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Hospital Association, Asheville, June 21-23, 1961.

Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Public Health Association and Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration of the North Carolina PHA and Guilford County Health Department, Greensboro, June 29 and 30, 1961.

Annual Workshop on Audio-Visual Education, North Carolina Adult Education Association, Chapel Hill, February 7, 1961.

Committees of NCSNA

Executive Committee, Head Nurse Section, Raleigh, November 11, 1960.

Program Committee, NSA Section, Raleigh, November 14, 1960, and Raleigh, February 1, 1961.

Steering Committee of ANF, NCSNA Fund-Raising Campaign, Raleigh, December 1, 1960.

Program Committee, EACT Section, Raleigh, January 11, 1961.

Committee on Chronically Ill and Aged, Raleigh, January 13, March 10, and September 12, 1961.

Committee on Bylaws, January 16, 1961.

Program Committee, OR Conference Group, Raleigh, January 25, 1961.

Professional Practice Committee, Raleigh, January 31, and June 8, 1961.

Committee on Legislation and Committee on Nursing Care of the Chronically Ill and Aged, Raleigh, March 10, 1961.

Executive Committee and Program Committee, NCSNA Public Health Section, Raleigh, April 25, 1961.

Committee on Nominations, Raleigh, June 2, 1961.

Committee on Finance, Raleigh, September 25, 1961.

Committee on Registry, Raleigh, September 27, 1961.

Miscellaneous

Dispatched a revised copy of PC&PS Manual to district presidents and district PC&PS committee chairmen; dispatched other PC&PS material to nurses, employers of nurses, section and district officers.

Prepared articles on PC&PS for the Tar Heel Nurse.

Informed nurses and employers about the policy of restricting use of PC&PS to ANA members. Wrote sixty-five letters re use of PC&PS and ANA membership. Dispatched to nurses and employers of nurses seven hundred and sixteen copies of the policy.

Encouraged district presidents to appoint PC&PS committees on the district level, and conferred with chairmen of many district PC&PS committees.

Met with the following committees of SNANC: Program Committee, Raleigh, December 13, 1960, and Raleigh, July 17, 1961; Bylaws Committee, Raleigh, July 17, 1961; and, had many conferences with officers.

Participated in the programs of the Private Duty and General Duty and Head Nurse Workshops.

Addressed the 1961 Graduating Class, Rowan Memorial Hospital School of Nursing, September 1, 1961.

Administered the NLN Graduate Nurse Qualifying Examination to two R.N.s, Raleigh, April 10, 1961.

Attended the NLN Health Careers Congress Committee Meeting, Winston-Salem, September 15, 1961.

Legislative Conference of NCSNA Board of Directors and N. C. Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education, Raleigh, March 1, 1961.

Public Hearing, Joint Appropriation Committee, North Carolina General Assembly on Nurse scholarship appropriation, Raleigh, February 23, 1961.

Public Hearing, Senate Public Health Committee on SB 23, Raleigh, February 23 and March 30, 1961.

Public Hearing, House Committee on Health on HB 385 and SB 23, Raleigh, April 26, 1961.

Public Hearing on SB 23, House Committee on Health, Raleigh, May 4, 1961.
Met with several registrars and chairmen of district registry committees.
Participated in a recruitment program on the various medical professions sponsored by the Home School Association, Parish of Catholic Church, Raleigh, October 18, 1960.
Attended the meeting of Planning Committee on Social and Health Aspects of Nursing, Chapel Hill, November 17, 1960.
Attended a conference of representatives of N. C. Public Welfare Department and NCSNA re inclusion of home nursing in Federal Program on Medical Assistance for the Aged, Raleigh, January 4, 1961.
Met with the RN and LPN private duty nurses of Salisbury to discuss reorganization of registry and relationship of each group to the Registry, January 4, 1961.
Attended Meeting of NCLN Committee on Careers, Charlotte, January 5, 1961.
Attended Meetings of Membership Committee of two district associations.
Attended Meeting of Rocky Mount Private Duty Section and discussed rules and regulations and admission requirements for unofficial registries, March 21, 1961.
Attended conference of representatives of NCSNA, NCHA, Collegiate Schools of Nursing and Medical Care Commission to discuss regulations for proposed scholarships for registered nurses, Raleigh, April 6, 1961.
Attended Meeting of Medical Care Commission Scholarship Committee, Raleigh, July 7, 1961.
Attended meetings of NCSNA representatives with deans of collegiate schools of nursing re Federal Legislation Affecting Collegiate Schools of Nursing, Raleigh, July 18, 1961.
Attended conference of representatives of Practical Nurse Schools re revisions of educational and administrative standards for the programs, Raleigh, July 17, 1961 and September 18, 1961.
Many conferences with nurses about scholarship and loan funds, in-service education, improving patient care, continued education; with employers discussing job descriptions, staff organization, personnel policies, etc; and others with students and prospective students, representatives of Armed Forces Nurse Corps, section and district officers, and representatives of publishing companies re nursing books.
Discussed ANA membership during many conferences with nurses and student nurses.
Dispatched recruitment material to district recruitment committees, prospective students, health career clubs, and high schools and colleges.

TREASURER
Ethel Harrison, R.N.

Balance, January 1, 1961	$ 260.63
Receipts, January 1, 1961 - September 30, 1961	78,964.20
Total receipts and balance	79,224.83
Disbursements, January 1, 1961 - September 30, 1961	72,139.83
Balance, September 30, 1961	7,085.00

(Checking account, Bank of Chapel Hill)

(See Committee on Finance report)

NORTH CAROLINA MEDICAL CARE COMMISSION

Mrs. Margaret B. Dolan, R. N., Chapel Hill, NCSNA Representative

The North Carolina Medical Care Commission meets quarterly, the third Friday of the month. One activity of the Commission of particular interest to all nurses has to do with the new nurse scholarship program. The efforts of the State Nurses' Association at last bore fruit when the Advisory Budget Commission included in its recommendations to the General Assembly during the 1961 session that $50,000 for the biennum be allocated for nursing scholarships for the preparation of teachers for diploma schools of nursing. This was approved by the General Assembly. The Medical Care Commission was given the responsibility for administering the program.

An advisory council to assist with the development of rules and regulations for administering the scholarships was appointed, The members are: Mrs. Edith P. Brocker, Helen E. Peeler, Mr. Sample Forbus, Mr. E. H. Heyd, and Mrs. Margaret B. Dolan.

Information was sent to all hospital schools of nursing and to all hospital administrators in the state about the scholarship. The State Nurses' Association assisted with the distribution of information. It was not until the closing days of the General Assembly that we were assured this item would be in the approved budget. This, of course, has had its effect on the number of applicants for scholarships for this first year. There are approximately 25 scholarships available each year. The maximum amount of individual scholarship is $1,000 per year.

As of September 15, fifteen inquiries had been received and seven applications had been approved. It is hoped that nurses will take advantage of these scholarships and that many more applications will be submitted for the 1962-63 academic year.

In the Student Loan program for medical, dental, pharmacy, nursing and social work students, the following information will be of interest:

	Nursing	Medical	Dental
Total number of students approved	30	123	61
In practice	4	42	21
Completed practice obligation	1	10	--
Enrolled in school	9	37	28
Internship or military obligation	—	21	7
Withdrew from school	4	6	2
Academic failures	6	1	2
Defaulted on practice obligation	6	5	1
Deceased	--	1	--
New students approved for 1961-62 academic year	2	13	9

These figures based on the total number of loans made since 1945, point up the fact that a loan fund with practice obligations in a rural community does not meet the needs of nursing students as frequently as it does for medical or dental students.

During the 1961-62 fiscal year the following construction funds are available to the Medical Care Commission:

Federal

Hospitals, health centers, nursing schools (all funds committed)	$5,288,324.00
Diagnostic and treatment centers	248,978.00
Chronic disease and nursing homes	675,740.20
Rehabilitation facilities (over half committed)	818,642.00

State

All available state funds for construction are committed to previously approved projects.

With the exception of rehabilitation facilities the largest portion of construction funds are utilized to provide for expansion, renovation and modernization of existing hospitals and health centers. The state seems to be fairly well covered with hospitals and health centers, and now the greatest need seems to be expansion to accommodate the increased utilization of hospital beds and growth in population.

A new rehabilitation facility has been authorized for the Duke University Medical Center and a new Mental Health Clinic to be added to the Guilford County Health Center.

NORTH CAROLINA COMMITTEE ON NURSING AND NURSING EDUCATION
Martha Adams, R. N., Winwton-Salem, NCSNA Representative

The North Carolina Committee on Nursing and Nursing Education met during the past year in the spacious, air conditioned conference room of the North Carolina Memorial Hospital, Chapel Hill, through the courtesy of Dr. Robert R. Cadmus, administrator.

Officers elected for the year 1961 are: Miss Miriam Daughtry, Chairman; Mrs. Priscilla Ballance, Vice Chairman; Mr. Woodrow Price, Secretary.

Meetings throughout the year have been interesting and lively; the information brought by various members and committees were instructive and thought provoking.

The report of the Public Relations and Recruitment Committees study to ascertain reasons for nursing students entering and/or withdrawing from schools of nursing, sponsored by the Duke Endowment, has enjoyed a wide distribution throughout the state. The findings were indeed interesting and will provide an enlightened basis for future recruitment programs for schools of nursing.

Discussion at the April meeting was concerned with the relationship of the North Carolina Committee on Nursing and Nursing Education and the North Carolina Commission on patient care.

Recommendations were made that a study group, composed of members from each committee, be appointed to "look into a refinement of purpose of both groups with a view toward merger."

With the challenge facing Nursing and Nursing Education in North Carolina today, the membership reaffirms its belief in the purposes of these committees and in the necessity for promoting further the study, the exchange and the implementation of ideas supporting these purposes.

(This report was prepared by Lelia Clark, who has completed the maximum of two three-year terms as NCSNA representative on this Committee. Miss Adams was appointed to succeed her in July.--MBN)

Staff

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A new mental health facility was made available [illegible] ... County Health [illegible].

NORTH CAROLINA [illegible]
Martha Adams, R. N., [illegible]

The North Carolina [illegible] ... the past year [illegible] ... North Carolina [illegible] ... Cadmus, [illegible].

Officers elected for the year [illegible] ... Mrs. Priscilla [illegible] ...

Meetings throughout the year were both informative and [illegible] ... brought [illegible] ... provoking.

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Discussion [illegible] ... the North Carolina [illegible] ... Carolina [illegible].

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With the [illegible] ... the [illegible] ... in the necessity [illegible] ... implementation of ideas [illegible].

NORTH CAROLINA COMMITTEE
AMERICAN NURSES' FOUNDATION FUND-RAISING CAMPAIGN
Mrs. Eloise R. Lewis, R. N., Chapel Hill, and
Lee Parker, Raleigh, Co-Chairmen

The North Carolina campaign for the American Nurses' Foundation is a year old this month. Just a year ago we launched our fund-raising campaign at the annual meeting.

The occasion marked one of the most significant steps ever taken by the nursing profession. Never before had nurses--as a profession--organized themselves in a campaign effort to seek funds for a program which would advance nursing practice and health care in the nation.

Attendance at the initial meeting bore testimony of North Carolina nurses' belief in an all-out effort to meet our campaign goal of $20,169. This has been an exciting experience for those who have actively participated. Although we are far from our goal, this campaign has given us the opportunity of telling and selling the Foundation's story, and in so doing we have effectively strengthened our program for Better Nursing Care Through Research.

North Carolina contributions to the ANF Campaign to date total $11,478.16. The campaign has been extended through the current convention to give North Carolina nurses opportunity to meet our quota. Most other states also are extending the campaign. Six have exceeded their quotas, and they are Delaware, Hawaii, Maine, Oklahoma, South Dakota, and the Virgin Islands. North Carolina is among the 16 which have otained as much as 50 per cent of quota.

Most of our district associations have set up an ANF committee and have participated. We wish to give special recognition to District Fourteen, which has raised $2,230.00 and which has served as the pace-setter for North Carolina.

State and district associations adopted the slogan, "Give or Get $5" as we set our sights on the quota. Many nurses responded by giving unsparingly of their valuable time, energy, and financial resources. We regret that solicitation of the large industries and philanthropic foundations was not carried out as planned, for we had hoped for substantial assistance from these sources. We are hopeful that in the remaining weeks of this year the districts will themselves approach these prospects and will send this state over the top.

The American Nurses' Foundation has announced its first nursing research grant under its expanded program, made possible by campaign efforts. Rancho Los Amigos Hospital in Downey, California, has received $21,332 for a year's study of nursing in relation to the rehabilitation of incontinent elderly patients. The hospital plans a three-year study to identify and test a specific group of nursing techniques to determine their usefulness in assisting geriatric patients in regaining continence.

We hope the Silver Tea for Nursing Research scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, October 25, immediately following the general program session at this convention, will generate renewed enthusiasm on behalf of the ANF campaign. We hope this enthusiasm will be carried back to every district, so that final district reports will bring us to our goal and the satisfaction of having done our job well.

You will be interested in the following report of North Carolina contributions according to districts:

	Total 10/12/61
District 1	$ 374.00
District 2	142.00
District 3	677.00
District 4	15.00
District 5	1,351.25
District 6	189.00
District 7	50.00
District 8	921.50
District 9	131.00
District 10	275.00
District 11	1,854.25
District 12	133.25
District 13	724.87
District 14	2,230.00
District 15	258.00
District 16	13.00
District 17	162.50
District 18	245.00
District 19	118.29
District 20	142.50
District 21	234.00
District 22	838.15
District 23	
District 24	
District 25	115.00
District 26	125.00
District 27	150.00
District 28	15.00

The untiring efforts of individual nurses, district chairmen, and committee members have made North Carolina's place on the honor roll possible. Our gratitude goes to all who have taken this opportunity to reaffirm their belief in the effort to provide advancement in nursing practice and in improved health care to the people of our nation.

NORTH CAROLINA COMMISSION ON PATIENT CARE
Mrs. Edith P. Brocker, R.N., Durham, and
Ethel Harrison, R.N., Chapel Hill, NCSNA Representatives

Mrs. Brocker: The North Carolina Commission on Patient Care has continued to meet quarterly throughout the year. At each session a stimulating program was presented by outstanding persons in the health field. These presentations are designed to add helpful information to the members' portfolio of knowledge of health services and facilities in North Carolina.

Minor changes were made in the Bylaws this year. Chairman, Dr. H. L. Brockmann, appointed a committee to meet with a subcommittee of the N. C. Committee on Nursing and Nursing Education to study jointly the feasibility of combining the two bodies. This ad hoc committee recommended the merger and outlined ways of implementing this action.

The big problem that plagues the Commission is how to stimulate interest and action in local commissions.

The Commission has high hope of seeing rewards of past efforts under the leadership of the newly elected chairman, Mr. Ed Hyed.

Miss Harrison: This Commission is an organization concerned with stimulating, assisting in, and sponsoring activities which will contribute to the care of the patient. Its members are representatives from the Medical Society of the State of North Carolina, the North Carolina Hospital Association, the North Carolina State Nurses' Association, the North Carolina League for Nursing, the North Carolina Licensed Practical Nurse Association, and the public.

The Commission continued to meet quarterly this year. The information and discussions presented at these times provided for better understanding of problems and programs of the represented groups and served as a source of information about trends and actions which will influence or affect patient care.

Program topics for this year were as follows:

"The Program of the Medical Foundation of North Carolina"; speaker, Dr. Robert Cadmus, Director, N. C. Memorial Hospital

"Present Trends in Patient Care and Their Effect on Nursing Education"; speaker, Miss Vivian Culver, Executive Secretary, N. C. Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education

"Health Unlimited"; speaker, Dr. Elias Faison, Member of the National Liaison Committee of the American Medical Association and the American Nurses' Asscciation

"Unity of Effort in Patient Care"; speaker, Mr. George Stockbridge, Administrator, Cape Fear Valley Hospital, Fayetteville.

Officers for the coming year elected in April are: Mr. Ed Hyed, N. C. Hospital Association, Chairman; Ethel Harrison, NCSNA, Vice-Chairman; Carrie Young, NCLN, Secretary.

Of interest to all was the appointment of an Ad Hoc Committee composed of members from the N.C. Commission on Patient Care and the N.C. Committee on Nursing and Nursing Education to study the question of a merger of these two organizations. A report was submitted to each organiztion at their July

NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE [illegible]

Mr. Neil E. Hooker, M.D., Durham, and
Miss Dorothy [illegible], Chapel Hill, [illegible]

Mr. Hooker: The Town Commissioners [illegible] to meet yearly through the year. At each session a [illegible] was [illegible] by [illegible] in the public [illegible]. These [illegible] to advise [illegible] on services and facilities in North Carolina.

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Miss [illegible]: This Commission is an [illegible] organized into [illegible] committees, [illegible] advisory [illegible] which will contribute to the [illegible] of the [illegible]. [illegible] are [illegible] from the [illegible] Society, [illegible] Women's Club, the Women Democratic Hospital [illegible], the North Carolina State [illegible] Association, the North Carolina [illegible] for [illegible], the Women [illegible] Federal [illegible] Association, [illegible] the public.

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[illegible] topics for the week were as follows:

"The Program of the [illegible] Commission of North Carolina"; speaker, [illegible] Fletcher Gardner, Director, N. C. [illegible] Commission

"Present Trends in [illegible] Care and Their Effect on [illegible] Programs"; speaker, Miss Vivian Milner, Director of Social Work, N. C. Board of [illegible] Rehabilitation and Mental Hygiene

"Health Units [illegible]"; speaker, Dr. Elias [illegible], Director of [illegible] Division of the American [illegible] Association

"Duty or Effort in Planned Care"; speaker, Dr. [illegible], Administrator, Cone Hospital, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Officers for the coming year elected in general are: [illegible] President; [illegible], Chairman; Miss [illegible], Vice-President; [illegible], Secretary.

It indicated to [illegible] the appointment of an [illegible] committee from the N.C. Commission on Children and Youth, [illegible] and working [illegible] on study the question of [illegible] organizations. [illegible] submitted to such organizations [illegible].

meeting and each organization voted to approve the merger. The special Ad Hoc Committee was further assigned the responsibility of drawing up regulations for the newly merged group.

NORTH CAROLINA MENTAL HEALTH COUNCIL
Mrs. Evangeline S. Poulos, R.N., Chapel Hill, NCSNA & NCLN
Representative

This Council composed of approximately twenty members has a schedule of quarterly meetings, set up to coincide with the University year. At the Council meetings, representatives of the various agencies have discussed matters of mutual concern and have reported progress in their own programs in relation to the mental health needs of the State. A report from this group is made to the Governor annually along with recommendations for improving mental health in the State.

At the September meeting, the problem of mental patients in jails and the need for more psychiatric beds in general hospitals received major attention. The Council became aware that many complex problems were involved including admission policies of local hospitals, availability of personnel, attitudes of hospital employees at all levels, financial arrangements, etc. It was decided to accept the suggestion of the Executive Secretary of the Medical Care Commission that he and the Chairman of the Mental Health Council agree upon a "statement of principle which could be submitted to the North Carolina Hospitals Association and the State Medical Society for review and recommendations by the indicated committees or councils within these organizations." No further report has been made.

At this time it was reported that the population of our State hospitals continues to decrease slightly. There has been a decrease of 1½ per cent in the total number of patients in the hospitals over the past five years but an increase of 106 per cent in admissions. Contrasted with the five-year period immediately preceding this, the population increased 12 per cent and the admissions, 23 per cent.

In the area of nursing, your previous representative reported that the two year pilot study, co-sponsored by the National League for Nursing and the American Psychiatric Association, for the purpose of preparing Teachers of Psychiatric Aides was now complete and a report was available for review. The project comprised four states--namely, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Arkansas, and presented programs which combined clinical experience with seminar teaching in several of the State Hospitals. The University of North Carolina School of Nursing served as headquarters for the project staff during this study.

It was also reported that through the efforts of Dr. Hargrove, the position of Psychiatric Nursing Consultant has been created to serve the North Carolina State Hospitals and Training Schools. The person who fills this position will be a member of the faculty of the University of North Carolina School of Nursing but will be responsible for evaluating nursing standards and helping to develop educational programs which will upgrade the nursing care of patients in these State institutions. The position has not been filled, but letters have gone out to those in key positions in nursing and it is hoped that a highly qualified psychiatric nurse may soon be found to serve in this capacity. This is a new thing, at least in the South, and it should help considerably in improving the quality of nursing services.

The December meeting was devoted to a presentation by Dr. Hargrove and his staff of current developments and plans of the Hospitals Board of Control featuring the children's psychiatric unit at Murdoch, the program for mentally ill adolescents, the vocational rehabilitation center at Caswell, and diagnostic center for the retarded at Murdoch, and plans for research and inservice training. Council members expressed a great deal of interest in this expanding progressive program and felt that it should be encouraged.

The magnitude of this problem and the shortage of trained professional people to work with mentally ill children is well known and deeply felt. Dr. Eugene Hargrove, Commissioner of Mental Health, spoke of the manpower shortage and the need for more professional personnel. It was pointed out that there is also a need for additional training of personnel already in the institution, since techniques and procedures change so rapidly in this field and professional people need continually to be brought up to date.

At the February meeting, the State Board of Correction and Training described in detail the plans for the new "Juvenile Evaluation and Treatment Center" to be opened at Swannanoa. The Council had some question about the availability of adequate personnel in such a remote location. It was emphasized that educational training would need to be continued in the Center. It was also brought out that there should be adequate provision for the evaluation of results. There has been no marked increase in juvenile delinquency in North Carolina as in other states, but an increasing number of children are being sent to correctional training schools. During the discussion on the importance of early detection of problem cases, a Council member from the State Board of Health reported that a nurse in Elizabeth City who had applied the Glueck Scale of juvenile delinquency prediction found that the screening device did pick up a high per cent of those who were later picked up by the police.

Legislation proposed by the Hospitals Board of Control regarding commitment procedures was discussed, also the proposed certification bill for psychologists, sponsored by the North Carolina Psychological Association. No action was requested or indicated as the discussion was primarily informative.

The May meeting featured a summary of the report of the Executive Director of the National Committee Against Mental Illness on the fiscal 1962 budget for the National Institute of Mental Health. The report is titled "Bold Blueprint for Action Against Mental Illness."

To those who work in the field of mental health, the issuance of the final report of this commission in March 1961, was the most exciting event of the past decade. The bold recommendations in this report, which have definite implications for nursing, carry out the instructions of the House Appropriations Sub-committee for a "fresh comprehensive look at the entire problem of mental illness in this country."

During this final meeting of the fiscal year, reports were also given on North Carolina legislation related to mental health. Current legislative activities, as well as other matters of interest relating to nursing were presented to Council members for their information, and support.

Although much progress is being made in improving the mental health programs in our State, much still remains to be done.

My appointment to the North Carolina Mental Health Council in April 1961 followed the resignation of Miss Barbara Bernard. As your representative I

shall attempt to the best of my ability to continue her fine work by keeping nursing in the fore, utilizing opportunities to emphasize the contributions nursing can make in the field of mental health, and pointing out how we as nurses can work cooperatively with the members of allied fields toward improving the total mental health programs.

I am grateful for the honor and opportunity afforded me to serve as representative of our State nursing organizations to this challenging and very important Council.

COMMITTEE ON BYLAWS

Anne Pleasants White, R.N., Charlotte, Chairman

The other member of this Committee is Mrs. Rebekah J. Burris, Wilmington.

The North Carolina State Nurses' Association Committee on Bylaws met on January 17, 1961, to consider the changes necessary in the district nurses' associations bylaws due to the revision of the NCSNA Bylaws at the 1960 NCSNA convention.

In February, the Model Form for Bylaws for District Nurses' Associations was sent to each district president with a letter asking that these be given immediate consideration and returned for review to the state headquarters. Since the revised bylaws provide for election of delegates to the convention by secret ballot, it is essential that the districts revise their bylaws before the state convention. Three reminders, the latest on August 9, that revisions should be made were sent to District Presidents. Twelve districts have sent in bylaws to be reviewed. These have been reviewed and returned to the district committees with suggested changes to conform with the model form.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Ethel F. Harrison, R.N., Chapel Hill, Chairman

Other members of this Committee are Mrs. Eva W. Warren, Greenville, and William S. Wiley, Asheville.

The Committee on Finance met in Raleigh on September 25, 1961 for the purpose of reviewing receipts and expenditures during the past fiscal year in order to prepare a budget for consideration by the Board of Directors at the annual meeting on October 24, 1961.

In formulating the proposed budget for 1962, every effort was made to analyze the budgetary needs of the Association and to estimate with reasonable accuracy the income which will be necessary to continue with its constantly expanding programs and activities.

The income, budget, and expenditures of the Association for 1960 are as follows:

RECEIPTS

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Membership dues - 1960 -	$ 77,927.00
Annual Convention:	
Registration fees, luncheon and banquet tickets, etc.- -	3,099.50

Tar Heel Nurse advertisements and subscriptions- - - - - -	$ 191.00
Student Nurse Association: Postage, paper, stencils, and clerical work- - - - - - -	314.92
Lee Parker Scholarship - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	150.00
Donation for Headquarters Building - - - - - - - - - - - - -	25.00
ANA Retirement and Trust - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	925.50
FICA Taxes -	705.52
Conference and Institute registration fees - - - - - - - -	170.00
Miscellaneous (insurance & damage recovery; History of Nursing sales; commission on ANA pins, etc.) - - - - - -	81.45
Total - - - -	$ 83,589.89
Balance on hand, January 1, 1960 - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	633.29
Total- -	$ 84,223.18

EXPENDITURES

	BUDGETED 10-1-59 to 9-30-60	EXPENDED 1960
ADMINISTRATION:		
Auditing of Accounts - - - - - - - - - -	$ 175.00	$ 181.72
Bonding of Treasurer - - - - - - - - - -	25.00	25.00
Headquarters - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	10,370.00	11,964.12
ADDITIONS TO FIXED ASSETS:		
Furniture, fixtures, equipment - - - -	200.00	287.59
CONVENTIONS:		
NCSNA (General convention expenses, including travel for speakers, banquet, luncheons, etc.)	2,000.00	2,319.47
DUES:		
ANA @ $7.50 per capita - - - - - - - - -	27,000.00	26,040.00
N.C. Federation of Women's Clubs - - -	50.00	50.00
N.C. Health Council- - - - - - - - - -	10.00	10.00
N.C. Family Life Council - - - - - - -	20.00	10.00
N.C. Conference for Social Service - -	10.00	10.00
N.C. Hospital Association- - - - - - -	15.00	15.00
State Legislative Council- - - - - - -	50.00	50.00
SALARIES:		
Professional Staff - - - - - - - - - - -	19,500.00	16,575.00
Clerical Staff - - - - - - - - - - - - -	9,660.00	9,532.50
Janitor- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	375.00	338.04

SCHOLARSHIP:		
Lee Parker Scholarship - - - - - - - -	$ 150.00	$ 150.00
SECTIONS:		
Expenses to ANA Convention - - - - - -	1,650.00	1,650.00
Postage, telephone, and secretarial help ($20 per section) - - - - - - -	280.00	36.10
Expenses of chairman or alternate for NCSNA annual convention @ $15 per day, not to exceed 3 days - - - - - - - -	360.00	86.73
Appropriations for workshops, special projects, meetings of executive committee @ $100 per section	800.00	272.69
Executive Committee meetings @ $120 per section- - - - - - - - - - - - -	960.00	1,066.18
Standing Committee meetings @ $200 per section- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	1,600.00	487.17
SPECIAL SERVICES:		
Legal Counsel- - - - - - - - - - - - -	600.00	600.00
Parliamentarian- - - - - - - - - - - -	75.00	63.00
Honorarium for Treasurer - - - - - - -	500.00	500.00
Convention Stenotypist - - - - - - - -	450.00	533.36
TAR HEEL NURSE:		
Four issues- - - - - - - - - - - - - -	4,500.00	5,355.75
TRAVEL:		
Officers and committee members - - - - -	2,500.00	1,919.03
District representatives for institutes-	200.00	491.37
Field work by headquarters staff - - - -	3,200.00	2,466.95
MISCELLANEOUS:		
Statewide Economic Security Workshop - -		124.39
Preparation of recruitment folder- - - -	150.00	150.00
Preparation of NCSNA Bylaws and Section Rules- - - - - - - - - - - - - -	1,500.00	
ANA Convention pictures- - - - - - - - -		35.00
Refund of membership dues- - - - - - - -		201.00
Other (flowers, gifts, checkbook, deposit box, clipping service, etc.) -	2,875.49	155.93
TOTAL - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	$91,810.49	$83,753.14

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION
Mary E. Copeland, R.N., Asheville, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Edith P. Brocker, Durham; Agnes Campbell, Winston-Salem; Lelia Clark, Durham, Mrs. Margaret B. Dolan, Chapel Hill; Mrs. Mabel I. Moore, Raleigh; and Marion S. Wood, Chapel Hill.

There was one meeting of the Committee on Legislation and two joint meetings—one with the Committee on Nursing Care of Chronically Ill and Aged (report found in this Committee's report) and one with representatives of collegiate schools of nursing.

The NCSNA-sponsored State Scholarship Program for teachers in diploma schools of nursing was passed by the General Assembly. An appropriation of $50,000 for the biennium was approved, and the program is being administered by the North Carolina Medical Care Commission.

The Committee on Legislation gave support to the NCSNA Board of Directors on the Board's stand on Senate Bill 23 (increasing licensure application fees) and House Bill 582 (providing for an all-nurse licensing board). These measures, the NCSNA Board's position, and the legislative results were discussed in detail in the June issue of Tar Heel Nurse.

NCSNA also followed the legislative progress of HB384 sponsored by the Medical Society as enabling legislation for North Carolina participation in the Federal Medical Assistance to the Aged Program. NCSNA took no position on the legislation but requested that nursing be represented on the Advisory Council provided for in the bill. This amendment was made. The legislation was passed in the House and defeated in the Senate.

As a member organization of the State Legislative Council, NCSNA supported their legislative program. The widows' allotment bill was passed to give a more adequate allowance for a widow and her family to live on while her intestate husband's estate is being settled. The transportation bill for migrant workers was passed and will help to provide safer transportation for migrants in this state. Bills on day care center licensure and sanitation measures for migrant workers was defeated.

On federal legislation we met with representatives of collegiate schools of nursing and outlined steps to be taken to support federal legislation for nursing, introduced in Congress by Senator Humphrey and Congressman Staggers. These bills, S.B. 1353 and R. 5682, would provide funds for instruction, construction, and scholarships for collegiate nursing education. Although it was felt this would not be passed during this session of Congress, it was necessary to have material ready to show the need for such federal aid for the next session. We appreciate the help of the representatives of the collegiate schools of nursing, the Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education, and the State Board of Health in helping to compile this information.

The Committee on Legislation recognizes that a successful legislative program depends on the support of all members. The committee urges all nurses, especially those who are leaders of districts and alumnae associations, to assume personal responsibility for learning what the legislative needs of the nursing profession are, to contact their lawmakers, and to acquaint their fellow citizens concerning these nursing needs.

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS
Louise Yount, R.N., Monroe, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Laura V. Graham, Fayetteville; Sister Mary Peter, Asheville; Mrs. Willistine Blackshear, Wilson; Mrs. Marianna Stanley, Marion.

The Committee met in Headquarters Office, Raleigh, on June 2, 1961, to nominate officers for the North Carolina State Nurses' Association for 1961-62. Pursuant to the NCSNA Bylaws, this Committee sent communications on February 1, 1961, to district associations requesting suggestions from DNAs for the NCSNA ballot and from district sections for the various state section ballots.

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The [illegible] legislation [illegible]

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The Committee on Legislation [illegible] gram [illegible] especially [illegible] assume personal responsibility [illegible] nursing [illegible] fellow citizens [illegible] their nursing needs.

COMMITTEE ON [illegible]
[illegible], R.N., [illegible], Chairman

Other members of the Committee [illegible]: [illegible] Stanley, [illegible]

The Committee [illegible] March 2, [illegible] nominate officers [illegible] Nurses Association for [illegible]. Pursuant to the [illegible] By-laws, the Committee sent [illegible] 1961 [illegible] ballot and [illegible] for the [illegible]

Suggestions were received from seven districts. The Committee appreciates the cooperation of these districts and urges all districts and members in the future to participate in formulation of the slate by making suggestions. Every effort was made this year to select several qualified candidates for each office, representing the various geographical areas, sections, and districts insofar as possible.

This year the Committee on Nominations was confronted with several difficulties. The first one was the new method for selecting delegates to the ANA convention. These delegates and alternates now are elected by secret ballot--two delegates-at-large elected by the NCSNA House of Delegates and the remaining delegates elected by the various sections. The third delegate-at-large is the President, according to NCSNA Bylaws. For the first time the Committee on Nominations has the responsibility of placing nominees for delegates-at-large on the NCSNA ballot. Section Nominating Committees also have the responsibility of nominating members to serve as delegates or alternates representing the various NCSNA sections. This involved many more names for the ballot and many more letters asking for consent to serve.

In 1960, when the ANA Committee on Constitutions and Bylaws reviewed proposed NCSNA Bylaws, that Committee strongly recommended that it be made a policy in the state association for the executive secretary to appear on the hallot for SNA delegate-at-large to ANA conventions. Reasons stressed were: (1) The executive secretary has special understanding and knowledge of issues coming before the convention because of her daily contact with activities of the association; (2) As a delegate, she would be readily available at all times for discussion with other members of the delegation; (3) Since the ANA Special Groups Section has been changed to the ANA Counselors, Executive Secretaries, and Registrars' Section, which has no state sections, it is no longer possible for the executive secretary to serve as a delegate representing her own section; (4) To function effectively, the executive secretary must attend all ANA conventions and special meetings. Thus, as a delegate, she could serve the SNA in two capacities at the same time.

The NCSNA Board of Directors, at annual meeting on October 25, 1960, voted to establish this policy--that the name of the executive secretary appear on the state ballot for ANA delegate-at-large.

The work of the Nominating Committees has been difficult this year because of the large number of refusals to accept nomination. A total of 292 members were approached by the state and section Nominating Committees. Of these, 111 refused and 33 did not reply.

The members of the Committee wish to thank the nominees for their willingness to serve and the members of district associations for their cooperation in sending in suggestions.

The NCSNA Committee on Nominations presents the following list of nomineees for officers for the North Carolina State Nurses' Association for the coming year:

President	Mrs. Jeannette K. Alexander	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Wilma R. Garris	Rocky Mount
	Atha Howell	Greensboro
First Vice-President	Mary E. Copeland	Asheville
	Ruby Dameron	Charlotte

Second Vice-President	Mrs. Ruth F. Peters	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Annie C. Shelton	High Point
Secretary	Mrs. Marjorie Cox Gray	Charlotte
Treasurer	Inez Finch	Wilson
	Mrs. Eva W. Warren	Greenville
Directors (elect 2)	Mrs. Rebekah J. Burriss	Wilmington
	Mrs. Bonnie C. Comer	Concord
	Brenda Mae Dixon	Smithfield
	Lucy Taylor Fort	Chapel Hill
	Mrs. Lois S. Hines	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Fannie M. Slade	Biltmore
	Mrs. Margelet C. Willoughby	Clarkton
	Annie J. Wilson	Aberdeen
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Lelia R. Clark	Durham
	Mrs. Mildred K. Furmage	McCain
	Mrs. Ida S. Howard	Fayetteville
	Sister Mary Jerome	Charlotte
	Mrs. Mary K. Kneedler	Raleigh
	Mary Hazel Parker	Asheville
	Mrs. Marianna Stanley	Marion
ANA Delegate-at-large (elect 2)	Martha Adams	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Ruby J. Brennecke	Rich Square
	Mrs. Louise S. Clapp	Greenville
	Mary E. Copeland	Asheville
	Brenda Mae Dixon	Smithfield
	Mary E. Francis	Asheville
	Mary Jean Fuller	Louisburg
	Mrs. Lois S. Hines	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Ida S. Howard	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Marie B. Noell	Raleigh
	Mary Hazel Parker	Asheville
	Patsy June Queen	Canton
	Linda Rea	Raleigh
	Annie H. Robinson	Gastonia
	Mrs. Eunice Seaborn	Asheville
	Yvetta M. Zellner	Black Mountain

The following reports from the sections of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association have been received and are herewith submitted:

EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATORS, CONSULTANTS, AND TEACHERS SECTION

First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Sylvia Herweyer	Wake Forest
	Helen Pickard	Asheville
Secretary	Nancy R. Burris	Concord
	Mrs. Annie H. Motsinger	Lexington
Executive Committee (elect 1)	Mary E. Francis	Asheville
	Sylvia Ruth Kiger	Winston-Salem

Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Sadie Bailey	Winston-Salem
	Elinor B. Caddell	Durham
	Mrs. Ruth Harris	Charlotte
	Elizabeth S. Mason	Raleigh
	Mrs. Fannie M. Slade	Biltmore
	Mrs. Jeannette C. Wilson	Morganton
Delegates to 1962 ANA Convention (elect 2)	Alice C. Boehret	Greensboro
	Mrs. Edith P. Brocker	Durham
	Ann Jacobansky	Durham
	Mrs. Pauline McCaskill	Chapel Hill
	Evelyn Thompson	Raleigh

GENERAL DUTY NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Mrs. Eunice Seaborn	Asheville
	Mr. William S. Wiley	Asheville
First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Minnie S. Howie	Fayetteville
Second Vice-Chairman	Effie Sue Reagan	Waynesville
Secretary	Mary Frances Folk	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Mary Sue R. Smith	Greensboro
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Elaine T. Gill	Asheville
	Vestie Richey	Asheville
	Mrs. Mary C. Rush	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Rebecca Mull Temple	Chapel Hill
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Elma H. Butcher	Fayetteville
	Sarah G. Evans	Wilmington
	Mrs. Ruth F. Peters	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Emma A. Shanahan	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Thelma Stone	Cary
Delegates to 1962 ANA Convention (elect 4)	Sarah G. Evans	Wilmington
	Mrs. Martha N. Mehaffey	Waynesville
	Mrs. Ruby G. Pervis	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Ruth F. Peters	Fayetteville
	Effie Sue Reagan	Waynesville
	Vestie Richey	Asheville
	Mrs. Eunice Seaborn	Asheville
	Mrs. Thelma Stone	Cary
	Mr. William S. Wiley	Asheville

HEAD NURSES SECTION

Chairman	(To be nominated)	
First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Margaret B. McCotter	Durham
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Marguerite Covey	Fayetteville
	Gloria Stevens	Durham
Secretary	Lillie M. Henson	Asheville
	Mrs. Lucille S. Mahood	Winston-Salem

Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Angeline G. Collins	Fayetteville
	Mabel Hughes	Wilmington
	Mrs. Marion Hoover Kennedy	Fayetteville
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Ruth D. Barrett	Southern Pines
	Mrs. Jessie E. DeVane	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Tha Moore Park	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Edith Ann Parsons	Greensboro
Delegates to 1962 ANA Convention (elect 2)	Mrs. Jeannette K. Alexander	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Loraine Daniels	Raleigh
	Mrs. Lucille Funderburk	Charlotte
	Mrs. Rachel J. Partin	Raleigh
	Mrs. Katherine Warren	Winston-Salem

NURSING SERVICE ADMINISTRATORS SECTION

First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Mildred Emory	Raleigh
	Louise Yount	Monroe
Secretary	Mrs. Bobbe Lytle Turbyfill	Hendersonville
Executive Committee (elect 1)	Sister Mary Patricia Doyle	Asheville
	Mrs. Emily E. Russ	Wilmington
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Jettie Blake	Raleigh
	Lelia R. Clark	Durham
	Mrs. Katherine W. Craig	Black Mountain
	Mrs. Edna B. Crook	Fayetteville
	Irene H. Holliday	Fayetteville
	Alice R. Maloy	Durham
Delegates to 1962 ANA Convention (elect 3)	Myrtle J. Barnette	Hendersonville
	Lelia R. Clark	Durham
	Mrs. Edna B. Crook	Fayetteville
	Sister Mary Patricia Doyle	Asheville
	Mrs. Emily E. Russ	Wilmington
	Mrs. Bobbe Lytle Turbyfill	Hendersonville
	Louise Yount	Monroe

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Mrs. Diora Westmoreland	Marion
First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Flora O. Kilmon	Charlotte
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Faye R. Abernathy	Hickory
Secretary	Mrs. Betty T. Kerr	Charlotte
	Mrs. Hattie S. Young	Candler
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Caroline Dunn	Durham
	Mrs. Lois S. Miller	Clemmons
	Mrs. Alexandra Ripperton	Chapel Hill
	Mrs. Marjorie K. Stainback	Roanoke Rapids
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Lillyan F. Clapp	Shelby

OFFICE NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Mrs. Ada C. Poole	Roseboro
First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Lela G. Shinn	Charlotte
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Eva O. Reese	Durham
Secretary	Mrs. Virginia M. Bullard	Rocky Mount
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Phyllis D. Bone	Raleigh
	Mrs. Gwen Chapman	Charlotte
	Hazel Johnson	High Point
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Ruby Dameron	Charlotte
	Carey Morris	Charlotte
	Mrs. Mabel Lee Reynolds	Greensboro
Delegates to 1962 ANA Convention (elect 1)	Ruby Dameron	Charlotte
	Alma Kermon	Raleigh
	Carey Morris	Charlotte
	Mrs. Lela G. Shinn	Charlotte

PRIVATE DUTY NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Mrs. Eva H. Snider	High Point
	Mrs. Ruth B. Whitley	Charlotte
First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Mary Steele Fox	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Hazel E. Sessums	Winston-Salem
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Louise S. Clapp	Greenville
	Emma Wampler	High Point
Secretary	Mrs. Mamie B. Groome	Charlotte
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Helen B. Byrd	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Marguerite L. Hood	Greensboro
	Mrs. Gladys Miller	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Opal B. Walden	Paw Creek
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Sarah B. Duncan	Raleigh
	Mrs. Annie R. Howie	Charlotte
	Mrs. Lurenna H. Miller	Asheville
	Mrs. Cordellia Smart	Clyde
	Mrs. Kathleen G. Taylor	Pfafftown
	Mrs. Sue Wood	Roanoke Rapids
Delegates to 1962 ANA Convention (elect 6)	Mrs. Bonnie C. Comer	Concord
	Fannie Dean	Greensboro
	Mrs. Wilma R. Garris	Rocky Mount
	Mrs. Elizabeth Harviel	Burlington
	Mrs. Marguerite Hood	Greensboro
	Mrs. Virginia C. Jenkins	Rocky Mount
	Mrs. Myrtle B. McKeithan	Wilmington
	Mrs. Leah Powell	Whiteville
	Mrs. Kathleen G. Taylor	Pfafftown
	Emma Wampler	High Point
	Mrs. Ruth B. Whitley	Charlotte

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Clara Henderson	Charlotte
	Mrs. Elizabeth M. Thompson	Fayetteville
First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Xanie Ruth Adams	Charlotte
	Mrs. Carolyn Roberts Greene	High Point
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Evelina K. Hasty	Charlotte
	Edna Holiday	Morganton
Secretary	Mildred B. Floyd	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Blondell W. Simpson	Monroe
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Betty C. Eller	Greensboro
	Mrs. Marian B. Duggins	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Alma K. McCracken	Charlotte
	Hazel Mae Segner	Greensboro
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Eunice Benjamin	Charlotte
	Mrs. Ruth Anderson Gwyn	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Minell S. Jones	Greensboro
	Alice Kinney	Gastonia
	Mrs. Cleo Osborne	Greensboro
	Eris H. Russell	Charlotte
Delegates to 1962 ANA Convention (elect 2)	Mrs. Xanie Ruth Adams	Charlotte
	Mrs. Frances B. Ameen	High Point
	Mrs. Betty C. Eller	Greensboro
	Mildred Floyd	Winston-Salem
	Clara Henderson	Charlotte

Operating Room Nurses Conference Group of EACT, General Duty, Head Nurse, and NSA Sections

Chairman	Sue Ann Brown	Raleigh
	Betty Jean Overcash	Durham
First Vice-Chairman	Mary E. Orren	Belmont
	Cynthia Reinhardt	Fayetteville
Second Vice-Chairman	Clide L. Allen	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Shirley L. Bartlett	Mint Hill
Secretary	Sallie Sue Emerson	North Wilkesboro
	Rosemary Wild	Charlotte
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Eulula H. Bailey	Charlotte
	Virginia Huffstetler	Shelby
	Mrs. Laura Kelly	Raleigh
	Carolyn McNeill	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Anna D. Mulea	Charlotte
	Mary Faye Williams	Charlotte

COMMITTEE ON NURSES PROFESSIONAL REGISTRIES
Mrs. Ernestine M. Bitting, R.N., Durham, Chairman

Other members of this Committee are Mrs. Queen W. Bell, Salisbury, and Mrs. Mary Nelson, Winston-Salem.

The purpose of this Committee is as follows: Prepare and revise state standards for professional registries in accordance with the registry standards of the ANA; outline procedures which will guide districts in the development of a sound registry program; evaluate registries on the basis of the state standards for approval as professional registries; re-evaluate all professional registries periodically to determine whether they meet the standards for professional registries.

The first of two meetings of this Committee was held on May 19, 1961, at the Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh, in conjunction with the North Carolina State Nurses' Association Professional Counseling and Placement Service Committee for an all day conference featuring Mrs. Evelyn Ferguson, Associate Executive Secretary, ANA PC&PS. Mrs. Ferguson discussed the history and functions of the ANA PC&PS and its relationship to other ANA programs. "PC&PS is nurse centered, as opposed to commercial or other agencies" said Mrs. Ferguson. Mrs. Marie B. Noell, Executive Secretary, NCSNA, delightfully inspired the combined group with her history of NCSNA PC&PS, anecdoting the early trials of the state office, their courage and progress. Chairman of the Committee on Registry related the PC&PS program to the Nurses' Professional Registries. Members of the Committee discussed the functions of the District PC&PS Committee.

The second meeting of the Committee was held in Headquarters Office, September 27, 1961, to consider the study of nurses' professional registries, summary of findings and conclusions of ANA Special Committee on Nurses' Professional Registries. The Committee recommended that Nurses' Professional Registries be evaluated early in 1962.

Correspondence with the nine official registries of NCSNA reveals that during the quarter April, May, and June, 1961, the total number of professional registrants for the entire state numbers only 650. (There are 225 LPN's listed with four of the nine registries.) The mean average is 75 registrants per registry - highest 140 registrants - lowest 19 registrants. A total of 2204 calls went unfilled during this three-month period; these were, in the main, 3-11 calls, and 11-7 calls.

So, problems facing the registries of the state remain unchanged: not nearly enough nurses in the private duty field, especially for 3-11 and 11-7 tours; most registries are barely meeting their budgets, some are drawing from savings in order that they might maintain a minimum salary for qualified registrars; most districts feel they can not penalize the private duty nurse further by raising the fees charged. However, if there were enough private duty nurses to fill calls received, it is believed that there would be more than enough money to balance an adequate budget.

COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING AND PLACEMENT SERVICE
Mrs. Edna B. Crook, R.N., Fayetteville, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Ruth Council, High Point; Mrs. Grace DeLong, Charlotte; Mrs. Marguerite Hood, Greensboro; Mrs. Rebecca Perry Sylvester, Jacksonville; and Dorothy Wilkinson, Durham.

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The primary functions of this Committee are (1) to serve in an advisory capacity to NCSNA Board of Directors with regard to PC&PS (2) to assist with interpretation and promotion of the program (3) set-up criteria for district PC&PS activities.

A one-day conference on PC&PS was held at the Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh, May 19, 1961. The purpose of the conference was to activate and strengthen District PC&PS Committees and to help committee members better understand their functions in assisting PC&PS to serve NCSNA members more effectively. The chairmen of the District PC&PS Committees and one or two additional representatives from each district were invited; also Registrars of Nurses' Professional Registries. Mrs. Evelyn Ferguson, Associate Executive Secretary of ANA in charge of the Professional Counseling and Placement Service was the keynote speaker and served as a consultant for the remainder of the program. Other features of the program included panel "Functions of District PC&PS Committee" composed of committee members. Mrs. Ernestine Bitting spoke on "Relationship of PC&PS to Nurses' Professional Registries". Mrs. Marie B. Noell discussed the "History of NCSNA PC&PS. It was an interesting and enlightening day for those that attended. Although the number was small, there was representation from various sections of the state.

The following suggestions were made on what Districts can do to promote the PC&PS program:

1. Have a program on functions of PC&PS at least once a year.
2. Display material on Bulletin Boards in Hospitals, Health Departments, and other locations where nurses are employed.
3. See that all new graduates have material available for registering with PC&PS.
4. Contact directly nurses and employers of nurses frequently advising them of the advantages of this unique Service.
5. Publicize the State Counselor's visits - assist with planning for meeting place and setting up schedule.
6. Give report of the District Committee activities at each district meeting.
7. Have student nurses to participate in program on PC&PS.

A meeting of the Committee was held immediately following the one-day conference. The members of the Committee believe that activities of the District PC&PS Committee is most important in helping PC&PS serve the individual member effectively.

COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL NURSING PRACTICE

Mrs. Edith P. Brocker, R.N., Durham, Chairman

The NCSNA Committee on Professional Nursing Practice met in January and June. We continue to seek a clearer understanding of our purposes and functions. We have reviewed the materials made available from ANA that seem relevant to our tasks and we have begun an exploration, in a very united way, some of the reports of incompetencies of professional nurses and the employment of unqualified persons.

The Committee is aware that we must deal both with the professional controls that may be exercised by our professional organization and the legal controls administered by the North Carolina Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education. We also know that in nearly every circumstance both agencies will need to cooperate to the fullest extent. In every incidence of incompetency,

every act or word of unauthorized or unqualified practice, it means dealing with our own colleagues and it is our wish that any action on the part of the Committee will be a positive and helpful experience for everyone concerned. It is not within the purview of this Committee to be a spying or policing agency but rather to help all of us raise the quality of nursing practice.

In our work, we find our task inextricably woven into the programs other major committees such as: the Legislative, Membership, FS&Q, etc., and we have no intentions of overstepping or taking over their functions. Therefore, before we launch an active program, we are asking these committees several questions and there are three questions we would pose to the membership:

1. Would you communicate to us examples of unqualified nursing practices that have been reported to you so we may have a broader understanding of the types of problems involved and a more nearly accurate estimate of the extent of the problems?
2. Do you have knowledge of unqualified persons employed as professional nurses? Would you describe the circumstances to us?
3. Would you suggest how you think our Committee can raise the quality of professional nursing in our state?

We wish we could share our Committee with everyone—it is a serious, hard-working, dedicated group of nurses wanting so much to fulfil the mandate of the resolution adopted by our House of Delegates at the ANA Convention in 1958. We covet the suggestions and support of the membership.

COMMITTEE ON PROMOTION OF PROGRAM, PUBLIC RELATIONS, AND MEMBERSHIP
Ruby Dameron, R.N., Charlotte, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Bonnie E. Comer, Concord; Gloria Stevens, Durham; Margarette Strickland, Lumberton; Ruby Wilson, Durham; Mrs. Pauline DeLozier, Waynesville; Mrs. Doris G. Pruitt, Asheville; Myrtle Barnette, Hendersonville; Mrs. Evelyn Talley, Sanford; Mrs. Ada C. Poole, Roseboro; Mrs. Myrtle B. McKeithan, Wilmington; Clara E. Henderson, Charlotte.

The Committee on Promotion of ANA Program, Public Relations and Membership met in Headquarters Office, May 18, 1961, with Ruby Dameron, Chairman, presiding. Others present were, representing their sections, Ruby Wilson, EACT; Martha Adams, NSA; Margaret McCotter, HN; Mrs. Evelyn Hasty and Clara Henderson, PH; Mrs. Ada Poole, Office; Atha Howell, NCSNA President; Mrs. Marie B. Noell, Executive Secretary; Helen E. Peeler, Associate Executive Secretary; and Margaret Wood, Assistant Executive Secretary, NCSNA.

Activities on membership promotion on SNA and DNA level were summarized and reviewed, along with Miss Mathilda Scheuer's message in the AJN, ANA membership memos, ANA in Review. Miss Scheuer's message pointed out the results of an ANA survey conducted a few years ago which showed that a big reason nurses do not join their professional association is that they have never been asked!

After much discussion regarding membership and public relations, especially internal public relations, the following facts were outlined as important factors in membership promotion:

1. ANA and its constituent SNAs and DNAs are voluntary organizations; therefore membership must be on a voluntary basis, but

should be strongly urged. If membership is a requirement of employment, it should be on the basis that it is part of the preparation and qualification for a professional nurse.

2. Personal contact is a "must" in membership promotion. All printed material dispatched from ANA, NCSNA, and DNAs must be followed by personal contact, special invitation to join and strong encouragement in order for the material to be effective.

3. Professional organizations, their functions and importance of membership should be constantly and strongly emphasized to members of nursing staffs and at least three times during the life of the student nurse-- In Fundamentals of Nursing Course, Professional Adjustments or Social Foundation Courses and in Senior Interviews.

4. Employers of nurses, especially directors of nurses and directors of nursing service should constantly encourage membership when meeting with staff members in groups and individually and at the time of employment.

5. Nurses must believe in their own professional association.

6. Well planned informative programs can increase both membership and attendance at meetings.

7. Nurses must "beware" of "strong pressures" and "influences" of other disciplines which may discourage membership.

The group agreed that it was important for these factors in membership promotion to be called to the attention of the presidents of DNAs at their luncheon at the Annual Convention.

The program plans for the Annual Convention to be held in Asheville, October 24-27, 1961 were discussed. The Convention program was outlined as to schedule of time, rooms and other available facilities for program and section meetings. A tentative program was planned around the theme, "Meeting the Needs of Nurses Through ANA".

COMMITTEE ON SERVICE FUND
Annie H. Robinson, R.N., Gastonia, Chairman

Other members of this Committee are Atha Howell, Greensboro, and Mrs. Marjorie Cox Gray, Charlotte.

In previous years, this annual report was based on the twelve months preceding the annual meeting of the State Nurses' Association. However, financial matters are now being reported on the calendar year. Therefore, the following reports ends as of December 31, 1960:

I. CHECKING ACCOUNT

Balance on hand December 31, 1959	$ 1,622.31
Receipts	
From redeemed bonds in North Carolina National Bank of Greensboro, N.C. (Trust Fund)	

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COMMITTEE ON [illegible] FUND

[illegible], Chairman

Other members of this Committee are [illegible], [illegible], and [illegible].

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Receipts

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February 22	$1,200.00	
August 18	1,000.00	
October 7	200.00	
	$2,400.00	
Gift as memorial to Miss Naomi Broughton from Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Karnes	$ 10.00	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$2,410.00	$ 4,032.31

Disbursements

To 11 beneficiaries $17.00 per month - 7 mos.		$1,309.00	
To 11 beneficiaries $20.00 per month - 5 mos.		1,100.00	
		$2,409.00	
Incidentals			
May 2, Bond for Chairman	$12.50		
July 22, Fee for auditing books	60.00		
Oct. 3, cost for 200 4¢ stamps	8.00	$ 80.50	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		$2,489.50	
Balance on Hand - Checking Account			$ 1,542.81

II. PRINCIPAL		
Cash Balance	$ 711.27	
Bonds	7,000.00	
Mortgage Bond	7,550.00	
TOTAL PRINCIPAL		$15,261.27
TOTAL ASSETS (Principal and Checking Account) as of December 31, 1960		$16,804.08

From December 31, 1960 through September 15, 1961, disbursements have been as follows:

To beneficiaries at rate of $20.00 per month	$1,800.00
Bond for chairman	12.50
Total	$1,812.50

In order to meet these expenditures, $1,800.00 was transferred from the Trust Fund in the National Bank of Greensboro. In the checking account in Concord National Bank, we have a balance of $1,530.31, as of September 15, 1961.

This indicates that our total assests were reduced in the previous twelve months by approximately $2,500.00, and that our total assets are now somewhat less than $15,000.00. At the present rate of spending, this will be liquidated in five to six years.

Since January 1961, we lost by death two beneficiaries, leaving us the following nine: District One, two; District Five, one; District Seven, one; District Twelve, one; District Thirteen, one; District Seventeen, one; District Twenty-Two, two.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON NCSNA MEMORIAL LOAN FUND
Louise Yount, R.N., Monroe, Chairman

Other members of this Committee are Lucy Lopp, High Point, and Jeanne Riddle, Raleigh.

Balance in Savings Account, First National Bank of Catawba County, Hickory, North Carolina, September 30, 1960	$ 509.77
Contributions: Mrs. Lucy Price by Nurses of Union County	25.00
Interest Paid	19.01
Repaid on Loans	350.00
Total	$ 903.78
Less Intangible Tax	.65
	$ 903.13
Amount on Loan including interest	$1,902.91
Total amount in Fund 9-30-61	$2,806.04

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON NURSING CARE OF THE CHRONICALLY ILL AND AGED
Mrs. Nan B. Cummings, R.N., Asheboro, and
Mrs. Mary Edith Rogers, R.N., Charlotte, Co-chairmen

Other members of the Committee are Mrs. Edith Chance, Fayetteville; Ethel Harrison, Chapel Hill; Esther K. Sump, Chapel Hill; Bettie Baise, Winston-Salem.

Meetings of the Committee were held on January 13, March 10, and September 11, 1961.

During the year this Committee concentrated on the need for nursing care in the home, especially for chronically ill and aged individuals. There was considerable study of legislation relating to medical assistance for the aged. Means of including nursing services in the home in such a program were considered and recommendations were submitted to the North Carolina State Nurses' Association Board of Directors and through the board to the State Health Director and the State Board of Public Welfare.

One of the big jobs ahead of this Committee now is in the area of developing methods for implementing, planning and preparation for initiation of more professional nursing services to be available in the home in all localities of the state.

The Committee has made several recommendations to the NCSNA Board of Directors regarding: nursing resources, a study of bedside nursing care in homes, and legislative needs in this area.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON NURSING IN NATIONAL DEFENSE
Mary Jean Fuller, R.N., Louisburg, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are Winnifred Bradley, Wilmington, and Patsy A. Carroll, Winston-Salem.

This Committee has had a busy and informative year. On November 7, 1960 the chairman talked with a seminar group of twenty senior student nurses and

three graduates working on their B.S. Degrees at the UNC School of Nursing, Chapel Hill. This group of nurses was most interested in the role of nurses in National Disaster.

On May 11, 1961 the chairman talked with the senior class at the Rex Hospital School of Nursing, Raleigh, on Nursing in Disaster. The class consisted of forty-three students who were divided into two discussion groups. This was a most enthusiastic group.

August 10, 1961 the chairman represented the Committee at an organizational meeting at the Cooper Memorial Health Building in Raleigh. There were eighteen persons present at this meeting representing NCSNA, 2; North Carolina League for Nursing, 3; North Carolina State Board of Health, 6; United States Public Health Service, Region III, 3; American Red Cross Nursing Service, 2; and North Carolina Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education, 2. The purposes of the meeting were to hear discussion by Mr. Donald G. Lederman, Health Mobilization, United States Public Health Service, Region III and to develop plans for an educational program to reach a maximum number of nurses throughout the state within the next year, with education as to the professional nurses' role in disaster nursing. It was decided that the Committee should be known as the "Disaster Nursing Planning Committee" with Janet E. Campbell, Nurse Consultant, State Board of Health, as chairman and should consist of one representative of each of the following organizations:

1) North Carolina State Nurses' Association - Mary Jean Fuller
2) North Carolina League for Nursing - Mrs. Helen Miller
3) North Carolina State Board of Health, Nursing Division - Janet E. Campbell
4) North Carolina Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education - Mrs. Rubye Barnes
5) American Red Cross, Nursing Service - Betty Eggleston, North Carolina Red Cross representative.

On September 11, 1961 the above named Committee met at the Cooper Memorial Health Building in Raleigh with Mr. Cross; Mary McColm, North Carolina College at Durham and NCLN; Dr. Charles B. Kendall, Deputy Medical Director of North Carolina Civil Defense Agency. Dr. George Paschal, Jr., Chairman of the Committee on Procurement and Assignment, Medical Society of North Carolina and Mrs. Rubye Barnes, North Carolina Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education were unable to attend. The purpose of the meeting was to begin to formulate an educational plan for nurses of North Carolina in disaster nursing.

It was decided at this meeting to ask the NCSNA Board of Directors to request each district association to compile a list of inactive, non-registered professional nurses in each district for future use as emergency personnel to man the Civil Defense Emergency 200 Bed Hospitals. It was also decided to try to work out some type of course content outline in conjunction with the American Red Cross Nursing Service for a special educational course for a maximum number of professional nurses in North Carolina in emergency disaster nursing.

The group plans to meet again October 12, 1961 prior to the NCSNA convention in Asheville, North Carolina.

All in all this has been a busy and most profitable year for this Committee. As chairman, all I can say is, "Thank you", to each and everyone who has helped me and cooperated with me to make this our best year yet, especially to Miss Carroll and Miss Bradley.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON
NURSING IN PREPAID MEDICAL CARE PLANS
Mrs. Betty C. Eller, R.N., Greensboro, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are Mrs. Mary Ruth Griffin, Rocky Mount; Mrs. Mary K. Kneedler, Raleigh; and Caroline Singletary, Winston-Salem.

The Committee met once on January 4, 1961, with Dr. Ellen Winston, Commissioner of Public Welfare and certain NCSNA committee chairmen and other members in key leadership positions, to discuss the new federal program of Medical Assistance for the Aged. The conference took place in the Welfare Department Building in Raleigh. The purpose of the conference was to discuss the need for professional nursing care in the home for persons 65 years of age or older who would qualify for the new federal program known as Medical Assistance for the Aged.

Dr. Winston's department, under the new federal legislation, would have administered the MAA program and she was preparing a tentative plan to be submitted for approval, as well as preparing proposed enabling legislation to be presented to the North Carolina General Assembly in February.

Dr. Winston requested a statement from NCSNA concerning home nursing visits--the need, availability of nursing personnel, average visits needed per patient, and length of time per visit. Mrs. Mary Edith Rogers, Charlotte City Health Department and Miss Atha Howell, Guilford County Health Department, agreed to make studies of case records in their respective public health departments to show the average number of nursing visits per patient 65 years or older in one year, and the average length of each visit.

Dr. Winston further asked NCSNA for information to substantiate the position that home nursing visits could be included in the MAA program, from the standpoint of available nursing personnel, and would be an economy through reduction of expenses of hospitalization for elderly citizens. NCSNA agreed to prepare a brief for Dr. Winston showing that nurses are available for home nursing visits and that these nurses can give competent care. Mrs. Noell pointed out that the NCSNA Private Duty Section already had established a statewide hourly fee. It was stressed that authority to evaluate nurses for a MAA program should not rest with the Welfare Department but should rest with the nursing profession in cooperation with official registries, health departments or hospital nursing offices.

A report of this Committee meeting was given the NCSNA Committee on Nursing Care of the Chronically Ill and Aged. Many of the above points were discussed further and plans were made to furnish information to Dr. Winston to substantiate inclusion of home nursing visits in the Medical Assistance for the Aged program.

Legislation which would have enabled North Carolina to participate in the MAA program failed to pass the North Carolina General Assembly

EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATORS, CONSULTANTS, AND TEACHERS SECTION
Mrs. Pauline W. McCaskill, R.N., Chapel Hill, Chairman

Other officers of the EACT Section are: Patsy Carroll, Winston-Salem, First Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Margaret Warren, Greensboro, Second Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Fannie Slade, Biltmore, Secretary; Mrs. Edith Brocker, Durham, and Ruby Wilson, Durham, members of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee met three times during the year. At the November 16, 1960 meeting standing and special committee appointments were made. Suggestions of speakers and subjects for the meeting of the EACT Section at the ANA convention were sent to national headquarters. The work and plans of the standing and special committees were reviewed and discussed at the April 5, 1961 meeting. Also, budget requests for the year 1961-62 were approved. On May 24, 1961 a report on the institute held on May 3, 1961 at Greensboro was submitted, and the program session for the section at the annual meeting discussed. Tentative plans were made for revision of minimum employment standards.

When it was determined that Ruth Dalrymple, a member of the Executive Committee, could no longer fill that office due to her absence from the state, the Executive Committee approved by mail the appointment of Ruby L. Wilson to fill Miss Dalrymple's unexpired term.

Membership of the EACT Section as of September 30, 1961 was 304.

Committee Reports:

Committee on Functions, Standards, and Qualifications, Mrs. Eva W. Warren, Chairman, with Joyce Crane and Ida Collie as members.

Questionnaires were mailed to each current EACT member (approximately three hundred) the first of the year, asking for comments on a proposed statement of qualifications for educational administrators and teachers prepared by the ANA Committee on FS&Q. Fifty-seven questionnaires were returned with valuable comments. A composite report was prepared and sent to the ANA Committee.

A second request was received from the ANA Committee for comments on a revised proposed statement of qualifications for educational administrators and teachers. The statement incorporated many of the suggestions made by our members. The revised statement will be reviewed by the FS&Q Committee of the EACT Section, and a report will be sent to the national committee.

Committee on Rules--Mrs. Helen S. Miller, Chairman, with Lake Allen and Louise Taylor, members. The necessary revision of rules and bylaws for the EACT Section, North Carolina State Nurses' Association, in order to conform with those of the American Nurses' Association has been done. This revision appears in the 1961 copy of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association Handbook of Bylaws and Rules of Sections.

Committee on Program--Ruby L. Wilson and Mary McRee, Co-Chairmen, with Alice Boehret and Mrs. Gwendolyn Andrews, members. The EACT Program Committee held one official meeting in Raleigh at state headquarters office January 11, 1961. At this meeting it was decided to hold a one-day institute at Woman's College, Greensboro, North Carolina, on May 3, 1961. The theme selected was "Clinical-Nursing--What Do You Teach?" It was also decided at this time to have a speaker for the EACT Program Meeting at the Fall Convention of the NCSNA. Names of several nursing leaders were suggested for consideration.

The EACT Section Institute was held in May with the following registration: 82 participants (total), 11 non-members, 16 student nurses from Woman's College. The theme, "Clinical Nursing--What Do You Teach?" seemed to be a timely topic, as the evaluations indicated the institute to be a success and requests were for more institutes in the clinical area of nursing. Ann Jacobansky, Dean of Duke University School of Nursing, was the keynote

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speaker, with "Factors Influencing Course Content" as the subject of her address. Sixteen faculty members from various diploma and degree schools of nursing served as leaders of small groups that were divided according to the clinical areas of medicine-surgery, pediatrics, obstetrics, and maternal and child health. Several suggestions for discussion topics were referred to both the Medical-Surgical Council and the Maternal-Child Health Council of North Carolina League for Nursing.

The Program Committee has tentatively planned for another institute next spring, although the topic has not yet been selected.

Dr. Martha Rogers, Chairman of the Department of Nursing Education at New York University, will be the speaker for the EACT Program Meeting at the annual NCSNA Convention, October 26, 1961, in Asheville. The program will follow a luncheon and the subject will be "Collegiate Resources for Programs in Nursing."

Committee on Nominations--Thelma M. Ingles, Chairman, with Mrs. Elinor E. Medlin and Ida Collie, members. The Committee on Nominations prepared the slate of officers for presentation to the annual business meeting.

Special Committee for Advancing Nursing Education--Janis H. David, Chairman; Ann Pleasants White, Sylvia Kiger, Mary E. Francis, Clyde Hogshed, Dorothy Dixon, Vivian Culver, and Myra Maxwell, members. This Committee did not meet as a group during 1960-61 but conducted its business by mail.

At the last annual meeting of the section this Committee was requested to compile a list of colleges in North Carolina and the courses offered in each to be distributed to the nurses in the state. However, because of the frequent changes which occur in course content and number, this idea was discarded. Instead the Committee members decided to use themselves as resource persons. Each Committee member was assigned nursing districts near where they live and asked to obtain the catalogues of the colleges located in these districts. The Committee chairman wrote a short descriptive article on nursing education for the June Tar Heel Nurse. Accompanying the article was a map of North Carolina, on which was placed the names of all colleges in the nursing districts. Also listed were the names of the members of the committee and in which districts they serve as resource persons. It was felt that this kind of publicity might spark an interest in the nurses in North Carolina to take courses in their local colleges.

Since one of the responsibilities of this Committee is the encouraging of educational opportunities for the nurses in the state, we are happy to report that the following short courses and institutes have been offered this year at the University of North Carolina:

Name of Course or Subject of Institute	Number of Days	Attendance
Planning Patient Care in Cerebral Vascular Accidents	1	156
Providing Continuity of Nursing Care for the Psychiatric Patient	2	36 - 2 days 84 - 1 day
Curriculum Development in Schools of Nursing	5	38

Conference of Deans and Directors	1	16
Nursing Care of the Patient with Long Term Illness	20	6

GENERAL DUTY SECTION

Mrs. Pauline DeLozier, R. N., Waynesville, Chairman

Other officers of the Section are: First Vice-Chairman, Mr. William S. Wiley, Asheville; Second Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Ruby G. Pervis, Winston-Salem; Secretary, Mrs. Elaine Gill, Asheville; Members of Executive Committee, Mrs. Minnie Howie, Fayetteville, and Mrs. Lottie Oglesby, Morehead City.

The Executive Committee met on October 27, 1960 in Durham with Mrs. DeLozier, Chairman, presiding. The appointments of standing committees were made. At the June 6, 1961 meeting of the Executive Committee in Raleigh, Mrs. Lottie Oglesby, Morehead City was appointed to fill the vacancy created by Mrs. Nancy Bauman's resignation as member of the Executive Committee. After reviewing the present NCSNA Minimum Employment Standards for General Duty Nurses and comparing them with the salary scale in North Carolina and other states, the group proposed several revisions to be presented at the Annual Business Session for approval. A proposed section budget for 1962 was formulated.

Mrs. Ruth Peters represented the Section at the ANA Section Regional Conference in New York City. As a follow-up of this Conference, the General Duty Section and the Head Nurse Section sponsored two conferences in May--one in Rocky Mount and another in Salisbury. "Improvement of Nursing Practice" was the theme of both conferences and Ethel Strueben, Assistant Executive Secretary, ANA, was the keynote speaker for each.

The Committee on Functions, Standards, and Qualifications met on June 8, 1961 in Raleigh. Mrs. Eunice Seaborn, Chairman, presiding, reviewed the discussion at the previous meeting of the NCSNA Professional Nursing Practice Committee concerning "unprofessional practice". After much thought and discussion the group agreed that the prevalence of this problem should be brought to the attention of all section members through their representatives attending the Annual Business Session.

Committee on Nominations, Sara G. Evans, Chairman. The slate of officers was prepared to be presented at the Annual Business Meeting.

Due to the prolonged illness of the Chairman, the First Vice-Chairman, Mr. William Wiley, has served in the capacity of Chairman on several occasions during the year.

Membership of the General Duty Section as of September 30, 1961 was 753.

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HEAD NURSE SECTION

Mrs. Doris G. Pruitt, R.N., Asheville, Chairman

Other officers of the Section are: First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Margaret B. McCotter, Durham; Second Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Katie S. McAlister, Charlotte; Secretary, Jerry Ann Moore, Winston-Salem; members of Executive Committee are Mrs. Jeannette Alexander, Winston-Salem, and Rachel Partin, Raleigh.

The Executive Committee met on November 14, 1960 with the chairman presiding. Committees of the Section were appointed. Delegates were selected for the ANA Regional Conference in New York to be held in February. Those selected were Mrs. Katie McAlister and Mrs. Lucille Funderburke of Charlotte. Plans were made for two institutes based on the program of the ANA Regional Conference to be held jointly with the General Duty Section; with the Head Nurse Section being responsible for the one in the Western part of the state in Salisbury.

The delegates to the ANA Regional Conference in New York were responsible for the program at the Institute and Miss Ethel Strueben, Assistant Executive Secretary of ANA, was the keynote speaker. This Institute was very successful with a large number of nurses attending and the program based on "Improving Nursing Practice" was interesting and helpful.

Another meeting of the Executive Committee was held April 24, 1961. Minimum employment standards for head nurses of the state were discussed and revised. The budget for the following year was planned.

Membership of Head Nurse Section as of September 30, 1961 was 337.

NURSING SERVICE ADMINISTRATORS SECTION

Myrtle J. Barnette, R.N., Hendersonville, Chairman

Other officers of this Section are: Mrs. Mildred K. Furmage, McCain, First-Vice-Chairman; L. Cynthia Reinhardt, Fayetteville, Second Vice-Chairman; Anne Katherine Scott Bland, Fayetteville, Secretary; Lucy Boylan, Chapel Hill, and Audrey Booth, Chapel Hill, members of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee has held two meetings to plan the years' program, appoint standing committee members, to prepare section budget, to review Minimum Employment Standards for recommended revisions, to review and approve action of Standing Committees.

The Standing Committees of the Section were appointed at the post-convention Executive Committee meeting November 18, 1960.

Committee Reports:

Committee on Functions, Standards, and Qualifications— Mrs. Katherine Craig, Chairman, Black Mountain; Mrs. Wilma Whiteside, Co-chairman, Asheville. No report.

Committee on Program--Martha Adams, Chairman, Winston-Salem. The NSA Committee on Program held two meetings during the year, however, much work was done by correspondence. February 1, 1961: The Committee met to make further plans for the spring institute recommended at annual convention business meeting October 1960. The members of the NSA Section were so impressed by the

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[illegible] [illegible], R.N., [illegible] Chairman

Other officers of the Section are: [illegible], [illegible]; [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible]; [illegible], [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]-Chairman; Mrs. [illegible] [illegible], [illegible]; [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible], [illegible]-[illegible]; Mrs. [illegible] [illegible], [illegible]; [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible].

The Executive Committee of the Section [illegible] [illegible] with the chairmen [illegible] [illegible] committees of the Section were appointed. Delegates were selected for the ANA Regional [illegible] [illegible] to be held in February. [illegible] selected were [illegible] [illegible] and Mrs. [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible]. [illegible] were made for the [illegible] [illegible] on the program of the ANA Regional Conference to be held jointly with the general [illegible] session; with the [illegible] Nurses [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] part of the state in [illegible].

The delegates to the ANA Regional Conference in New York [illegible] [illegible] of the program at the [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], Assistant [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], was the [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] with a large number of nurses [illegible] in the program based on [illegible] Nursing Practice" was interesting and helpful.

Another meeting of the Executive Committee was held April [illegible], 19[illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] nurses of the state [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. The budget for the following year was [illegible].

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[illegible] [illegible], R.N., [illegible], Chairman

Other officers of [illegible] [illegible]: Mrs. [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible]-Chairman; [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], [illegible], [illegible] [illegible]-[illegible]; [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible], Secretary; [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible], and [illegible] [illegible], [illegible], members of the [illegible] Committee.

The [illegible] Committee has held two meetings to plan the [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] standing committee members, to prepare section budget, to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the recommended [illegible], to [illegible] the [illegible] action of Standing Committees.

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Committee Reports:

Committee on [illegible], [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]—Mrs. [illegible] [illegible], Chairman; [illegible] [illegible], Mrs. [illegible] [illegible], Co-chairman; [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

Committee on [illegible]—[illegible] Adams, Chairman, [illegible]. The [illegible] Committee [illegible] [illegible] held two meetings during the year; however, much work was done by correspondence. February 1, 19[illegible]: The Committee met to [illegible] plans for the [illegible] [illegible] recommended at annual convention [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] October [illegible]. The members of the [illegible] Section were [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

exploration of the subject, "The Staffing Problems and a Look at Solutions", they recommended a follow up of this subject to be developed for an institute in the spring. Miss Elsie Palmer, Assistant Director of Nursing Education and Nursing Service, Department of Hospitals, City of New York, was invited and accepted the invitation to participate as key-note speaker. She was given the topic, "Better Utilization of Available Nursing Service Personnel". The Institute was held on April 19, 1961 at Hotel Sir Walter in Raleigh with very good attendance.

At the second meeting of the Program Committee, June 20, 1961, the members felt there had been a display of much interest in staffing problems in the nursing departments of hospitals and it was decided to provide further programs along this vein. With this in mind, the Committee agreed upon the subject, "Designing Patient Care", for the keynote speaker at the annual NSA program. Miss Frances Purdy, Director of Nursing, Beekman Downtown Hospital, New York City, N. Y., accepted the invitation to be guest speaker for this program.

Committee on Rules: Willie Bailey, Chairman, Fayetteville. The Committee on Rules proposes a "correction" amendment to section re Committee on Nominations to clear up a discrepancy between NSA Section Rules included in the NCSNA Bylaws booklet.

Committee on Nominations: Mrs. Margaret Hicks Deese, Chairman, Rockingham. This Committee prepared a slate of officers from which the selections will be made at the annual business meeting. The committee expresses appreciation to District Sections for their assistance in supplying names of able and willing candidates for the various offices.

The chairman of the NSA Section attended the ANA Section Regional Conference in New York, February 14-17, 1961.

Membership in NSA as of September 30, 1961 was 558.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SECTION
Mrs. Evelyn R. Talley, R.N., Sanford, Chairman

Other officers of this Section are: First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Bessie Mae Snoddy, Charlotte; Second Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Marjorie Cox Gray, Charlotte; Secretary, Mrs. Iva Cain, Durham. Members of the Executive Committee are Mrs. Faye Abernathy, Hickory, and Mrs. Ione Bain, Granite Falls.

The Executive Committee had two meetings—November 30, 1960 and September 9, 1961. At the November meeting the proposed survey of employment conditions of occupational health nurses in North Carolina was discussed and later the group voted by mail to conduct such a survey. The report of this survey and the current Minimum Employment Standards of this Section of NCSNA and other state associations were studied at the September meeting. Recommended revisions to be presented at the annual business meeting were prepared. A proposed budget for 1962 was formulated. Also, the members of standing committees were appointed.

Committee on Nominations: Mrs. Louise K. Osborne, Mocksville, Chairman; Mrs. Caroline A. Dunn, Durham; Mrs. Hattie S. Young, Candler. The Committee prepared a slate of officers for presentation at the annual business meeting.

Committee on Rules: Lillian Tilley, Greensboro, Chairman, and Mrs. Diora Westmoreland, Marion. No report.

Committee on Functions, Standards, and Qualifications: Irene Courtenay, Raleigh, Chairman. An effort is being made on the national level to find the common core of functions, standards, and qualifications for all nurses - because of this there were no individual national occupational health Functions, Standards, and Qualifications Committee meetings.

Work which normally would have been undertaken this year on the staff nurse in industry was curtailed on both the national and state level.

NEW BUSINESS: A recommendation has been sent to the American Nurses' Association that consideration be given to the growing problem of the practical nurse working alone in industry. This recommendation will be brought before the Executive Committee, Occupational Health Nurses Section, American Nurses' Association for further consideration. Although this action was taken by your FS&Q chairman in her official capacity as Occupational Health Nursing Consultant, it is expected that any action which may be the result of this recommendation will eventually revert back to the FS&Q Committee and therefore should be recorded in this report.

IMPLEMENTATION: Present FS&Q booklets continue to be used with frequency - general implementation remains the same as reported in 1960.

May I at this time say what a pleasure it has been to work with this Section. Although I will be leaving the State, I will always feel a warmth and professional kinship toward the Occupational Health Nurses of North Carolina.

In January a letter was sent to all personnel managers in industry requesting them to complete and return a questionnaire concerning working conditions of the registered nurses in their employ. Of the 98 questionnaires mailed, 44 were returned. A member of the Department of Statistics, North Carolina State College tabulated the questionnaire results. This report was distributed to all occupational health nurses and personnel directors in North Carolina industries employing such nurses.

Letters, telegrams and personal calls were made to Senators and Representatives in regards to SB 23, SB 127 and HB 582.

In May the North Carolina Industrial Safety Conference was held in Durham and was well attended by occupational health nurses.

The chairman attended the ANA Section Regional Conference on the "Improvement of Nursing Care" which was held in New York City in February.

The membership of the Occupational Health Section as of September 30, 1961 was 48.

OFFICE NURSE SECTION

Mrs. Ada C. Poole, R. N., Roseboro, Chairman

Other officers of this Section are: First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Ethel Oakley, Burlington; Second Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Estelle Thompson, Burlington; Secretary, Mrs. Marjorie Hemphill, Caroleen; Members-at-large Executive Committee, Mrs. Martha C. Ruskin, Whiteville, and Margaret Ann Wingate, Charlotte.

The Executive Committee held two meetings the past year--a post-convention and one September 7, 1961. The functions of these meetings were: to make plans

and appointments of committees for the year, to review accomplishments of the past year and to make final arrangements for the Office Nurses Section Business and Program Meetings at the NCSNA 59th Annual Convention to be held in Asheville, to review all information for office nurses from ANA & NCSNA, to approve other transactions of the committee, study and recommend revision of Minimum Employment Standards, to prepare a budget, and other final plans of the years' work.

Ruby Dameron, Charlotte, has served as representative from the Office Nurse Section on the NCSNA Committee on Professional Nursing Practice.

Ruby Dameron, Charlotte, attended the ANA Section Regional Conference held February 14-17, 1961 in New York.

The office nurses have been working on membership this year. However, there are only a few districts that have Office Nurse Sections. There are committees serving in the other districts encouraging the special work of the office nurses.

The Program Committee is cooperating with the Program Committee of the Occupational Health Section in planning our sections convention program. We have secured Marianne Van Aken, R.N., Assistant Executive Secretary, American Nurses' Association, New York, as our speaker for this year.

Membership of the Office Nurse Section as of September 30, 1961 was 113.

PRIVATE DUTY SECTION

Mrs. Myrtle McKeithan, R. N., Wilmington, Chairman

Other officers of this Section are: First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Mary Jane Lindsay, High Point; Second Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Louise M. Clapp, Greenville; Secretary, Mrs. Florence M. Walker, Hamlet; Executive Committee members, Mrs. Mary Sue Davis, Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Marguerite L. Hood, Greensboro.

The chairman has served as a member of the Board of Directors, NCSNA, and attended three meetings. At the post-convention meeting of the Board of Directors the chairman, representing the Private Duty Section, presented the following recommendation concerning a suggested change in the ANA Functions, Standards, and Qualifications for the Practice of Private Duty Nursing:

> That under qualifications - present "C" - "Knowledge and Abilities" become "D" and "D" - "Personality and Health Factors" become "E". The following be inserted as "C" -"Experience", 1. a refresher course on general duty nursing be required when entering the field of private duty nursing, after a period of retirement or employment in other fields, or being three to five years away from nursing.

The NCSNA Board approved the recommendation and it was sent to ANA FS&Q Committee. The following reply was received from Harriet S. Stambach, R. N., Assistant Executive Secretary, ANA: "I will bring to the attention of the ANA Priva e Duty Section FS&Q Committee the recommendation of your Section. However, I would believe that it would be difficult to have a uniform requirement for refresher work for a statement of functions, standards, and qualifications for practice. If you will look at the statement you will find provision for continued growth is made under IX a."

A requirement for refresher courses is usually incorporated in registry rules and acceptances of a nurse for placement is dependent on her completion

of such a course. It would seem that this is really the place to assist the nurse returning to practice to become currently informed and competent to practice.

The Executive Committee met following the convention, October 27, 1960 in Durham. Chairmen and committee members of the standing committees were appointed.

The Executive Committee met again on March 6, 1961. The group formulated plans for two intsitutes--one to be conducted in Fayetteville, VA Hospital Auditorium on April 28, 1961; the second to be held in the Presbyterian Hospital Auditorium in Charlotte on May 5, 1961. Also a recommendation was made that a communication be mailed to each district Private Duty Section "To study and explore the idea of statewide private duty fee". The committee postponed revising the Minimum Employment Standards until some decision was made concerning statewide fees.

Our institutes were apparently very much appreciated by those attending. We were somewhat disappointed with the attendance of the private duty nurses to say the least. We sincerely hope you have read the material distributed at the institutes.

The chairman attended a conference of representatives of the North Carolina Public Welfare Department and NCSNA re "inclusion of home nursing" in Federal Program on Medical Assistance for the Aged.

Also the chairman attended a meeting of the Committee on Program, Public Relations, and Membership of NCSNA on May 18, 1961, and presented suggestions for the Private Duty Section Program at the 1961 State Convention.

Caroline Singletary and the chairman attended the ANA Section Regional Conference in New York City February 14-17, 1961. We wished that it had been possible for the one thousand and sixty-six members of the NCSNA Private Duty Section to attend. This Conference was extremely interesting and we gained much knowledge.

Members of this Section and the chairman cooperated with the NCSNA Committee on Legislation by writing cards and letters to legislators regarding HB 582 and SB 23 supporting the NCSNA Board of Directors decisions regarding these bills.

Serving you as chairman for the past year has been a most rewarding experience made possible by your faith, your help and your willingness to serve your Section. My thanks and deepest appreciation to each of you.

Membership of the Private Duty Section as of September 30, 1961 was 1,103.

PUBLIC HEALTH SECTION

Clara Henderson, R. N., Charlotte, Chairman

Other officers of the Public Health Section are: Mrs. Evelina K. Hasty, Charlotte, First Vice-Chairman; Shirley Callahan, Chapel Hill, Second Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Ruth Chambers, Greensboro, Secretary; Mrs. Mary E. Rogers, Charlotte, and Mrs. Betty Chapman Eller, Greensboro, members of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee met following the 1960 convention and appointed the standing committee members.

The Executive Committee had its mid-year meeting April 25, 1961. Items of business; 1) Budget - formulated and approved by committee to be submitted to NCSNA Committee on Finance--same as for Public Health Section 1961 except for workshops, special projects, etc. We suggest an increase of $50.00 here making this $150.00 for 1962. This is considering the possibility of offering some special institutes. 2) Senate Bill 23 was discussed briefly. 3) Reports on Section activities in some of the districts. 4) Reviewed Minimum Employment Standards. There was no suggestion for change at this time. 5) The Executive Committee would like to go on record as approving the work of the NCSNA Committee on Nursing Care of the Chronically Ill and Aged. We feel anything that can be done to broaden the scope and provide nursing leadership in this important area should be supported. 6) The NCSNA requests for scholarship funds by the General Assembly was discussed. It seems hopeful, at this time, that the funds will be granted.

The Nominating Committee met in Greensboro July 29, 1961 to compile a slate of officers to be presented to the Section at the 1961 convention. The Section is entitled to send two delegates to the 1962 ANA Convention in Detroit.

The Program Committee met in Raleigh May 18, 1961 to make suggestive plans for the program of the Public Health Section in the 1961 convention.

The Joint Committee on Personnel Policies of the NCSNA Public Health Section and North Carolina Public Health Association met in September to study and recommend revisions of the Minimum Employment Standards.

The chairman attended the ANA Section Regional Conference in New York City, February 14-17, 1961.

The Section had much correspondence with the NCSNA Executive Secretary and section members' legislators regarding Senate Bill 23 and H.B. 582. The Section was represented by its chairman at the NCSNA Board Meetings and gave her full support to the Board's decisions regarding the above bills. See "Report on Legislation", Tar Heel Nurse, June, 1961. Interest shown in legislation affecting nurses and nursing education seemed to stimulate non-members to join and give their support to their Association.

Membership of the Public Health Section of the NCSNA as of September 30, 1961 was 337 as compared with 1960 membership 305.

OPERATING ROOM CONFERENCE GROUP
Sue A. Brown, R. N., Raleigh, Chairman

Other officers of the Operating Room Conference Group are: Betty Jean Overcash, Durham, Vice-Chairman, and Mary Orren, Belmont, Secretary.

The Executive Committee met in Raleigh, January 25, 1961 at NCSNA Headquarters Office, with all members present. Plans were made at this time for the Spring Institute and the program for the annual meeting in October, 1961.

The Spring Institute was held in the Duke University School of Engineering Auditorium, Wednesday, April 29, 1961. There were 89 operating room nurses present. Assorted displays were presented in the Auditorium by local surgical equipment distributors, all displays relative to the topic of the day "INFECTIONS". Speaker for the day, Dr. Wirt Smith, Duke University Department of Surgery spoke on "The Effect of Ultra-Violet Light in Relation to Germ control in the Operating Room". Afterwards the film "Wall and Floor Care -

Terminal Disinfection" was presented. The afternoon portion of the program included a panel discussion of the "Prevention and Control of Infections", with Betty Jean Overcash as moderator. After discussion of the topic the meeting was adjourned.

The Committee on Nominations prepared the slate of officers to be presented at the 1961 NCSNA convention.

The Rules and Regulations adopted in 1958 have not been revised.

The Operating Room Conference Group is composed of members of EACT, General Duty, Head Nurse and NSA Sections of the NCSNA who are engaged in operating room nursing.

CONSTITUENT DISTRICT NURSES' ASSOCIATION

DISTRICT ONE

Mrs. Eunice Seaborn, R. N., Asheville, President

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 65
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 10

Membership - 269
Alumnae Associations - 3

Programs:

October 1960	Business meeting followed by Section meetings
November 1960	Report of NCSNA Convention - Panel discussion
December 1960	Annual Business Meeting, Election of Officers
January 1961	"Newer Trends in Treatment of Mental Diseases", Dr. John D. Patton
February 1961	Business meeting followed by Section meetings
March 1961	"Legal Information for Nurses", Mr. J. Francis Heazel
April 1961	"Legislation - SB 23", Panel discussion
May 1961	"You're the Leading Lady", student nurses, Mountain Sanitarium and Hospital, Fletcher
June 1961	"Intravenous Therapy", Dr. John Bradshaw
September 1961	"Radio Isotopes in Medicine", Dr. Romeo

Established Sections:

NSA-EACT	Pauline Powell, Chairman, Asheville Orthopedic Hospital, Asheville
General Duty	Mrs. Elaine Gill, Chairman, 115 Kingsgate Road, Asheville
Private Duty	Mrs. Bertha Holland, Chairman, Route 1, Box 357, Arden
Public Health	Mrs. Dorothy McCracken, Chairman, 281 Sulphur Springs Rd., Asheville

Progress of District Activities:

Members wrote many letters to senators and representatives opposing SB 23 (increasing licensure application fees) and supported HB 582 (an all-nurse licensing Board). April meeting devoted to the discussion of pending legislation and District voted to oppose SB 23. Members were informed at each meeting of important legislative measures affecting nurses.

Membership promoted by individual nurses and by each hospital. Some hospitals have had an increase in membership among their staff. Personal contact has been the most effective means of promotion. "Membership Tag Days" were observed early in the year and posters and other promotional leterature were used.

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Recruitment of student nurses through giving support and encouragement to the schools of nursing located in the district; provided a scholarship for one student nurse; and when feasible cooperated with the Medical Auxiliary Careers Committee.

Cooperated closely with the Buncombe County Women's Civil Defense Council. A member of the District is a member of the Council and is in charge of the hospitals in the event of a disaster; two other nurses attended the Council meetings as representatives of other organizations and several members have visited the fall-out shelter and have been hostesses.

Have had good newspaper coverage and pictures of meetings and refresher-workshop.

District bylaws were revised.

Twelve hospitals have Social Security coverage; five hospitals have a retirement plan in addition to Social Security; four hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

NSA-EACT Section has made preparation for a Workshop for graduate nurses to be held October 3 through November 16 under the sponsorship of the District; the course will consist of 24 hours of instruction and the registration fee is $5 for the course and $1 for each session.

One nurse received a scholarship to Yale University for special course in Alcoholism, June 22 to July 20, 1961.

There is fine spirit of cooperation among the nurses of District One.

Outstanding Problems:

Many potential members who are not interested in becoming ANA members and others who have not been contacted.

Problems Are Being Met By:

Personal contacts with non-members.

Financial Status:

General Duty Section of District One-Mrs. Elaine Gill, R.N., Chairman:

The other section officers are: First Vice-Chairman, Vestie Richey; Second Vice-Chairman, Rosalie Hassell; Secretary, Mary Shepard; Head Nurse Committee Chairman: Mrs. Doris Pruitt.

The Section has a membership of 57 general duty nurses and 28 head nurses.

The objective for the year was to get more members to attend meetings and participate in the programs and activities. In order to meet this objective the following activities were implemented:

1. Had a Christmas Party with the exchange of gifts and to create a more festive affair a Japanese supper was cooked and served by members.
2. Held two dinner meetings with the following speakers: a Doctor who spoke on "Cardiac Surgery and Nursing Care" and an Attorney who spoke on "Legal Pointers for Women".
3. Had an illustrated lecture on "Occupational Therapy" and a display of items made by patients at another meeting.
4. Publicized meetings by posting notices on bulletin boards in hospitals, announcements by radio stations, and newspaper coverage.

Several members of the Section are serving on committees of NCSNA and ANA.

Members of this Section initiated the project of a Silver Tea to be held during the Convention as a means of raising funds for the American Nurses' Foundation. The Private Duty Section and other members of the District, and Districts of 23 and 26 are serving as co-hostesses.

Private Duty Section of District One--Mrs. Bertha Holland, R. N.

Lack [illegible] of student nurses [illegible] during [illegible] charge [illegible]
[illegible] hospitals [illegible] district [illegible] and a [illegible]
[illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible]
[illegible] Nurses Committee.
Cooperated closely with the [illegible] County [illegible] in [illegible]
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District; [illegible] of [illegible] and the
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Outstanding Problems
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Problems Are Being Met By
[illegible]

Financial Status

General Duty Section of District [illegible] Chairman:
The [illegible] officers are: [illegible] Chairman, [illegible]
[illegible] Vice-Chairman, [illegible]; Secretary, Mrs. [illegible], and
[illegible] Delegate [illegible] Mrs. [illegible].
The Section has a membership of [illegible] general duty nurses and [illegible] held [illegible]
[illegible] meetings [illegible]
[illegible] to meet this [illegible]
[illegible] the following activities [illegible]:
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[illegible].
2. Held [illegible] the following [illegible] Doctor [illegible]
[illegible] and [illegible]
[illegible].
3. Had [illegible] and [illegible]
of [illegible] at [illegible] meetings.
4. [illegible] hospitals, [illegible] and [illegible].
Several members of the section [illegible] and [illegible].
Members of this Section [illegible] to be held
during the convention at [illegible] for the American
Nurses' Foundation. [illegible] other members of the
District, and Districts [illegible].

Private Duty Section of District [illegible]

The Private Duty Section has an active membership of sixty-two and has held four supper meetings—combining a social hour with business. A special Christmas Supper meeting was held at which time Registrar was awarded a Christmas Bonus (made possible by contributions from members).

A member participated in a panel discussion, "The Code for Professional Nurses", a feature of the Refresher Course of District One, and many section members were enrolled in the course.

The most active committee of the Section is the Hospitality Committee of which Mrs. Lorena Miller is chairman. The Section is joining the General Duty Section as co-hostess for a Silver Tea to be given during the NCSNA Convention for the American Nurses' Foundation. Also the Section has made plans for the Private Duty Section of NCSNA Buffet Dinner for the Convention.

DISTRICT TWO

Edna Holiday, R. N., Morganton, President

Number of meetings of District - 8
Average attendance - 13
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 4

Membership - 42
Alumnae Associations - 2

Programs:

January 1961	"Possibility of New District to Include only Catawba County", Mrs. Marie B. Noell and Helen E. Peeler
February 1961	"Health Careers", Mrs. Edna E. Stancell
April 1961	"Mental Illness-Modern Treatments", Dr. Quinn, Broughton Hospital
May 1961	"History of Anesthesia", Mrs. Winifred Wells
June 1961	"Trading Post", Mrs. Clara Young
July 1961	Annual Picnic, Blowing Rock
September 1961	"Working with the Blind", Mrs. Inez Pace

Established Sections:

EACT	Mrs. Fuschia Wilson, Chairman, Grace Hospital, Morganton
Head Nurse	Mrs. Mary Swan, Chairman, Marion General Hospital, Marion
NSA	Mrs. Mary Green, Chairman, Broughton Hospital, Morganton
Occupational Health	Mrs. Diora Westmoreland, Chairman, 220 S. Main Street, Marion
Office Nurse	Mrs. Marjorie Hemphill, Chairman, Caroleen
Private Duty	Mrs. Lillie Miller, Chairman, 103 Mitchell Drive, Rutherfordton
Public Health	Mrs. Sue Carigan, Chairman, 1505 Leach St., Marion

Progress of District Activities:

Legislative Committee held three meetings and discussed SB 23 and HB 582. Information regarding these bills was distributed to members and members contacted legislators by letter and through personal contacts.

Newspaper and radio notices of each monthly meeting.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by the chairman participating in health career programs on "Career Days" in high schools; providing the annual scholarship for a student nurse--two students at the present time in schools of nursing on the District scholarships.

District bylaws were revised.

Eight hospitals have Social Security coverage.

One hospital has a retirement plan in addition to Social Security coverage.

Two hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

District has one honorary member.

Outstanding Problems:

Loss of twenty-five members who were leaders in the District when these members created District Twenty-Eight in Catawba County.
Small percentage of membership.
No active committee work.

Problems Are Being Met By:

Encouraging more active membership during the coming year.
Work toward increasing membership in 1962.

Financial Status:

Total paid membership - - - - - - - -	42
Cash received - - - - - - - - - - - - -	$992.00
Disbursements - - - - - - - - - - - - -	986.00
Balance brought forward - - - - - - -	27.70
Total Balance in bank - - - - - - - -	33.70
Citizens Building & Loan- - - - - - -	$442.64

DISTRICT THREE

Mrs. Helen M. Hester, R. N., Belews Creek, President

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 50
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 8

Membership - 312
Alumnae Associations - 4

Programs:

October 1960	"Nursing Administration", Martha Adams
November 1960	Election of officers, Convention Report, Mrs. Jeannette Alexander
January 1961	"Rescue Breathing", Bell Telephone Company
February 1961	"Public Health Nursing", Mrs. Mary K. Kneedler
March 1961	"Rehabilitation of The Handicapped", Mr. Frank W. Muleohy, Goodwill Industries
April 1961	Business Meeting
May 1961	"Nursing Research", Dr. Elizabeth Kemble
June 1961	Picnic

Established Sections:

EACT	Laura Mosley, Chairman, 4029 Robinhood Rd., Winston-Salem
Head Nurse	Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, Chairman, Route 8, Winston-Salem
NSA	Mrs. Audrey Reavis, Chairman, 1200 Magnolia Street, Winston-Salem
Private Duty	Mrs. Kathlyn Taylor, Chairman, Route 1, Pfafftown
Public Health	Mildred Floyd, Chairman, 317 E. Sprague St., Winston-Salem

Progress of District Activities:

Members of the District informed of legislative activities related to nursing; and members asked to support NCSNA legislative program.
Membership promoted by personal contact with non-members; and inviting the members of the graduating classes to two District meetings—one business and program, and one social function.
Recruitment of student nurses promoted by the schools of nursing and by individual members of the District.
Committee chairman served as chairman of the Medical-Surgical Council of the NCLN which conducted a series of programs on "Disaster Nursing"; also, these programs were announced at the District meetings and members participated in the programs.

Good newspaper and radio coverage of all meetings.
District bylaws are being revised.
Four hospitals have Social Security coverage.
Three hospitals have retirement plans in addition to Social Security coverage.
Three hospitals have a forty-hour work week.
A special drive to collect funds for the American Nurses' Foundation - letters sent to each member of the District.
District has three honorary members.

Outstanding Problems:
Lack of interest.
Poorly functioning sections.
Inactivity of some of the committees.

Problems Are Being Met By:
Efforts of the Program Committee to plan more attractive and more interesting programs.
Making special effort to interest the new graduate.

Financial Status:
Balance on hand September 1, 1961- - - - - $1,966.27

EACT Section of District Three--Laura Mosley, R.N., Chairman:
The Section had four meetings during the year with an average attendance of nine and a membership of thirty-four.
Other officers of the section are: First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Jo Ann Dalton; Second Vice-Chairman, Sylvia Kiger; Secretary, Mrs. Annie Motsinger.
The Section sponsored the program for the May meeting of the District which was well received by a large audience; Dr. Elizabeth Kemble, Dean, School of Nursing, UNC, spoke on "Research in Nursing".
Representatives of the Section plan to attend the Annual Convention of NCSNA.

Head Nurse Section of District Three--Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, R. N., Chairman:
The Section held five meetings during the last year - four business and one social (cook-out), with a membership of twenty-nine and an average attendance of five.

NSA Section of District Three--Mrs. Audrey Reavis, R. N., Chairman:
The NSA Section has had two business meetings following the regular District meeting and one joint meeting with the District, with a membership of thirty-one.
The Section sponsored the program for the March meeting of District Three, at which the Executive Director of Goodwill Industries spoke on "Rehabilitation of the Handicapped".
Cooperated with the District in the fund raising drive for the American Nurses' Foundation.
Well represented at the NCSNA Annual Convention.

Private Duty Section of District Three--Mrs. Kathlyn Taylor, R. N., Chairman:
The Private Duty Section has held ten regular meetings and one call meeting, with a membership of one hundred and thirty-three and an average attendance of forty.
Emphasis for 1961 was "more group participation at meetings", institutes and other educational meetings.
The Section sent one member to the 1960 NCSNA Convention and approximately thirty members attended the day of the Section Meeting.

Two members attended the Institute in Fayetteville and twelve members attended the Institute in Winston-Salem on "The Professional Private Duty Nurse- Her Practice, Functions, Standards, and Qualifications".

Emphasized understanding and support of the NCSNA Economic Security Program.

The Section held a "bake sale" in April to raise money for members expenses to the NCSNA Convention and realized a total of $260 with almost 100% member participation.

Have several new members in the Blue Cross Group Hospitalization which is gaining momentum this year.

Public Health Section of District Three--Mildred Floyd, R. N., Chairman:

The Public Health Section held three business meetings during the year and has a membership of nineteen. At the meetings the Section discussed American Nurses' Foundation Project, SB 23, and ways of increasing ANA membership.

The following officers were elected at the December meeting: Chairman, Mildred Floyd; First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Polly Adams; Second Vice-Chairman, Inez Bethel; Secretary, Grace Taylor; Chairman Nominating Committee, Mildred Foreman; and Chairman Program Committee, Mrs. Ruth Harris.

Educational Programs for the Section have been as follows: "Maternal and Infant Health Case Study" by Mrs. June Blakely and Pauline Alexander, staff nurses, Forsyth County Health Department; and "Tools in Nutrition Teaching and Methods of Motivation" by Ora McHan, Director, Forsyth County Dairy Council and Helen Meadors, Nutrition Consultant, State Board of Health. Two additional programs are planned for the fall--(1) Ruth Council, Consultant, . Public Health Nursing Section, State Board of Health, Topic - "Handicapped Conditions"; (2) Ruth Council and Mildred Floyd, Supervisor, Forsyth County Health Department, Topic - "Rehabilitation".

The Section was responsible for two programs for District Three--Mrs. Mary K. Kneedler, Chief, Nursing Section, State Board of Health spoke on "Public Health Nursing in North Carolina"; Mr. Ralph Goodale, Attorney at Law spoke on "Legal Aspects of Nursing".

Despite the small membership of the Section, we have had very profitable meetings and we are looking forward to the future with much hope and anticipation.

DISTRICT FOUR

Nellie Martin, R. N., Statesville, President

Number of meetings of District - 8
Average attendance - 15
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 3

Membership 51
Alumnae Associations - 3

Programs:

October 1960	Illustrated lecture on "Trip to Hawaii", Mrs. Sadie Kennerly
November 1960	Convention Reports, dinner meeting
December 1960	Annual Reports, election of new officers
January 1961	Business meeting
February 1961	Business meeting
March 1961	Business meeting
April 1961	Illustrated lecture and discussion on "Public Health Nursing in the Area", Becky Bowden
May 1961	"The New Intestacy Law", Mr. William Neel

Established Sections:

EACT	Maxine Wike, Chairman, Davis Hospital, Statesville
NSA	Mrs. Sadie Kennerly, Chairman, 637 N. Center St., Statesville
Office	Mrs. Pansy Mills, Chairman, Route 7, Statesville
Private Duty	Mrs. C. W. James, Chairman, Route 7, Statesville

Progress of District Activities:

Members were informed of State and Federal legislative activities.
Newspaper coverage of meetings.
Membership was promoted by personal contact; and all registered professional nurses were invited to dinner meeting.

Outstanding Problems:

Membership
Lack of interest
Poor attendance
Poorly functioning sections

Problems Are Being Met By:

Continuously stressing the importance of membership.
Sending advance notice of meetings to each member.
Encouraging program committee to plan more varied programs.
Inviting new graduates to meetings and encouraging them to join.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - - - $282.41

DISTRICT FIVE
Sister Mary Jerome, R. N., Charlotte, President

Number of meetings of District - 6
Average attendance - 43
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 4
Membership - 490
Alumnae Associations - 5

Programs:

January 1961	Section Meetings
February 1961	Bingo Party Benefit for American Nurses' Foundation
March 1961	Panel Discussion--"Putting the Cardiac Back to Work", moderator, Dr. William B. Townsend
April 1961	Business meeting followed by Section meetings
May 1961	"Closed Heart Resuscitation", Dr. Ernest C. Williams
June 1961	"New Developments in Local Red Cross Nursing Services", Verna Wilkinson

Established Sections:

EACT	Billie Shellem, Chairman, 1722 E. 7th Street, Charlotte
NSA	Louise Yount, Chairman, Union Memorial Hospital, Monroe
Office	Mrs. Lela G. Shinn, Chairman, 1600 Meadowbrook Lane, Charlotte
Private Duty	Mrs. Ruth B. Whitley, Chairman, 3629 Country Club Drive, Charlotte
Public Health	Mrs. Evelina K. Hasty, Chairman, 2007 Highland Street, Charlotte

Progress of District Activities:

All legislative communications from NCSNA and ANA were brought to the

attention of the members; members were urged to write to their legislators, expressing their views on bills re nursing; SB 23 (increasing licensing application fees) and HB 582 (providing for an all-nurse licensing Board) were discussed; also the bill re Migrant Farm Workers.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by individual school recruitment programs and all Charlotte schools participating in the "Career-O-Rama".

District Bylaws were revised.

All hospitals in the District have Social Security coverage.

Outstanding Problems:

Attendance

Problems Are Being Met By:

Promotion of more interesting programs.

Urging members to bring friends to meetings.

Financial Status:

Balance in bank as of September 1, 1961 - - - - $772.89

Office Nurse Section of District Five--Mrs. Lela G. Shinn, R.N., Chairman:

Other officers of the Section are: Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Velma Washington; Secretary, Mrs. Emily A. Transou; Directors, Carey Morris and Elizabeth Kerr.

The Office Nurse Section has had four meetings during the year immediately following the District meeting. At the January meeting, the new officers were installed, and at the April meeting Ruby Dameron led a discussion on "Bylaws and Functions". Miss Dameron also reported on an ANA Committee meeting which she attended. Have had three breakfast meetings--one of which was a program meeting on "Vascular Surgery" by Dr. E. R. Hipp, Jr.; the other two meetings were discussion meetings on "NCSNA Membership and How to Stimulate Interest in the Associations". Breakfast meetings have been successful and we expect an increase in membership for the new year.

In September the Office Nurses met jointly with other sections for a program on "Civil Defense".

Private Duty Section of District Five--Mrs. Ruth B. Whitley, R. N., Chairman:

The Private Duty Section has a total of one hundred and fifty active members and one new applicant and has held eight regular meetings and one call meeting; having both morning and night meetings has proven an asset in attendance.

The Section sponsored a one day Institute on May 5, 1961 at Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing Auditorium on "The Professional Private Duty Nurse--Her Practice, Functions, Standards, and Qualifications"; also, two Spot Education Programs--one a case study with a doctor and two nurses participating. All RNs and senior students were invited to attend the meetings.

Sick nurses were sent "get well cards" and all private duty nurses were encouraged to attend the NCSNA Convention.

Public Health Section of District Five--Mrs. Evelina K. Hasty, R.N., Chairman:

The Public Health Section has an increase of eleven members this year.

Section programs have been as follows: January--"Functions of the Mecklenburg TB Association", Mrs. Blondell Simpson; April--"Modern Funds in Nursing Education", Mrs. Eleanor Medlin; September--Film "Nursing in Disaster", Mrs. Verna Wilkinson.

Approximately 75% of the membership of the Section contributed to ANF Fund ($90).

The aim of the Section for the next year is to sponsor a workshop on "Rehabilitation, Family and Patient Centered".

DISTRICT SIX

Mrs. Almira Ockerman, R. N., Salisbury, President

Number of District meetings - 10
Average attendance - 25
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 10

Membership - 196
Alumnae Associations - 2

Programs:

Established Sections:

Private Duty Flora Harviel, Chairman, 813 N. Lee Street, Salisbury

Progress of District Activities:

The Legislative Committee has been very active; communications concerning legislation have been thoroughly discussed at district meetings; bills under consideration have been carefully reviewed; letters have been written to members of the legislature.

Membership promotion has been directed toward providing programs in which the members are interested and toward this end the membership was poled; nurses who are newly employed in the community have been invited and escorted to meetings.

Individual members have participated in recruitment of student nurses.

Members of the District have participated in civic activities which have served to acquaint the public with nursing.

District bylaws are being revised.

Two hospitals have Social Security coverage.

Two hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

Outstanding Problems:

Rural community makes transportation difficult.

Difficulty in communicating.

Financial Status:

Solvent.

DISTRICT SEVEN

Mrs. Virginia C. McKinney, R. N., Draper, President

Number of meetings of District - 8
Average Attendance - 13
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 1

Membership - 29
Alumnae Association - 1

Programs:

September 1960	"Steps to Security", a film
November 1960	Report of NCSNA Convention, Mrs. Virginia C. McKinney
December 1960	Dinner Business Meeting, election of officers
January 1961	"The Hand", Dr. Paul Mabe
February 1961	"Glaucoma", Mr. J. O. Thomas
March 1961	"Fall-Out", Lecture and film, Dr. Daniel D. King
April 1961	Humorous Readings, Catherine Manley
May 1961	"Preparation of Drugs", film and discussion, Jack Watts
September 1961	"Trip to the Orient", films and comments, Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Tyner

Established Sections:

General Duty	Ludemia Maschio, Chairman, 160 Highland Park Drive, Leaksville
NSA	Margaret Hall, Chairman, 807 Russell Avenue, Reidsville
Occupational Health	Jane Reynolds, Chairman, 206 Hamilton Street, Leaksville
Office	Catherine Hambrick, Chairman, 106 Ellett Avenue, Leaksville
Private Duty	Gussie Haynes, Chairman, 1218 Maiden Lane, Reidsville
Public Health	Hazel Bouldin, Chairman, 110 Klyce Street, Leaksville

Progress of District Activities:

Members were informed of pending State and Federal nurse legislation and many members contacted their legislators re same, and NCSNA material reviewed at each meeting.

Membership was promoted by each member urging non-members to attend the meetings; each nurse in Rockingham and Caswell counties were sent an application blank in January 1961; cards were sent to the non-member nurses in the two counties for the first three months inviting them to the meetings.

Recruitment promoted by public health nurses visiting high schools and talking to the students on "Career Days"; and distributing material on recruitment to the high schools; talks to Nurses Clubs.

Two hospitals have Social Security coverage.

One hospital has the forty-hour work week.

The District remembered the Service Fund Beneficiary with a gift at Christmas.

Made contribution to the American Nurses' Foundation Fund.

Members helped with the Glaucoma Clinic and Blood Mobile.

A gift is sent to a member when sick and cards are sent to non-member nurses; a benevolent gift is sent to the place of choice of District for a bereaved member (Building Fund, Orphanage, etc.).

Outstanding Problems:

Membership
Poor attendance
Lack of leadership
Complaints about dues being too high

Problems Are Being Met By:

Planning better programs
Extending invitations to non-members by the hostess
Attending institutes

Financial Status:

Balance on hand September 14, 1961 - - - - $64.85

DISTRICT EIGHT

Mrs. Mary Sue Smith, R. N., Greensboro, Chairman

Number of meetings of District - 10
Average attendance - 41
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 9

Membership - 200
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

October 1960	"The Patient is a Person", Film and Discussion
November 1960	"History of School Health Programs", Dr. Sarah Morrow
December 1960	Christmas Party

January 1961	"ANF Fund Raising Campaign", Mrs. Eloise Lewis
February 1961	"Medical Examiner vs Coroner System", Dr. William Forrest
March 1961	"Hypo-Hyper-Thermia Unit", Dr. Richard Ames
April 1961	"WHO in Indonesia", Mrs. Madeline McCain
May 1961	"Legal Aspects of Nursing", Mr. John Corner
June 1961	Fashion Show, Belks Department Store
September 1961	Revision of District Bylaws

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Hazel Fields, Chairman, 102 Dixie Apts., Greensboro
Public Health	Mrs. Cleo Osborne, Chairman, Route 10, Box 512, Greensboro

Progress of District Activities:

Membership promoted by a special picnic honoring forty-five new members.
District bylaws have been revised.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - -	Checking account --	$669.98
	Savings account —	402.67
	Total	$1,072.65

Private Duty Section of District Eight--Mrs. Hazel Fields, R. N., Chairman:

The Private Duty Section of District Eight has held four business meetings and one covered dish supper, with an average attendance of fifteen.
Registry rules have been revised.
Private duty fees increased from $14 to $16 per eight hours.
Our problems are getting the 3-11 and 11-7 nurses to join, poor attendance at meetings, and securing officers and committee members.

DISTRICT NINE

Frances A. Burgess, R. N., High Point, Chairman

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 30
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 9
Membership - 122
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs:

October 1960	"Principles of Radiation Protection", Mr. Joseph Ameen
November 1960	Business Meeting, Election of Officers
December 1960	Christmas Reading, Lucy Lopp, Christmas Party
January 1961	"Health and Safety Fair", Discussion, Business Meeting
February 1961	"Functions of Family Service Bureau", Charlotte Entemann
March 1961	"Pending Legislation--Increasing Licensure Application Fees", Mrs. Nan Cummings
April 1961	"New YWCA and Its Program to the Public", Dorothy Gueth
May 1961	"Puerto Rico", Illustrated Lecture, Mrs. K. Jackson
September 1961	"Thoracic Surgery", Illustrated Lecture, Dr. Donald Douglass

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Sylvia Foy, Chairman, 705 Chandler St., High Point

Progress of District Activities:

District has sixteen new members this year. Membership has been promoted by letters and postal cards to non-member nurses, and by telephone and personal contact.
Recruitment of student nurses promoted by members of the District and faculty of High Point Memorial Hospital School of Nursing. Eighty-two

prospective students were given the entrance examination for High Point School of Nursing, forty-two passed the examination and thirty-four were accepted in the School of Nursing.

Newspaper coverage of meetings.

Four hospitals have Social Security coverage.

One hospital has the forty-hour work week.

District contributed $131.00 to the American Nurses' Foundation.

District had a booth at the Health Fair.

Two members attended the ANA Regional Conference in New York on "Improvement of Nursing Practice", and the NCSNA General Duty and Head Nurse Institute in Salisbury.

District has one member serving on an ANA Committee.

Outstanding Problems:

Membership
Poor attendance at meetings
Lack of interest

Problems Are Being Met By:

Sending postal card notices of meetings to each member and to prospective members.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - - - - - Checking account -- $173.00
Savings account -- $114.00

DISTRICT TEN

Mrs. Ethel Parks Oakley, R. N., Burlington, President

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 22
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 3

Membership - 52
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

January 1961	"Time and Two Women", Illustrated Lecture-Film, Dr. A. J. Ellington, Jr.
February 1961	"Patient, Nurse and Doctor Relationship", Open Discussion
March 1961	"Science Fights Tooth Decay" - Film, Illustrated Lecture, Mr. L. V. McMahan
April 1961	"Emotional Youth Guidance in Schools", Mr. W. M. Height
May 1961	"National Defense", Mr. Henry Casko

Established Sections:

General Duty	Mrs. Nancy Loy, Chairman, 409 Holt Avenue, Graham
NSA	Mrs. Wilma Berry, Chairman, 2203 McKinney St., Burlington
Office and Occupational Health	Mrs. Lucille Sorrell, Chairman, Route 1, Elon College
Private Duty	Mrs. Elizabeth Harviel, Chairman, 2220 Trail 5, Grove Park, Burlington
Public Health	Mrs. Leona Wright, Chairman, 1320 Bowman Avenue, Burlington

Progress of District Activities:

Members were informed of State and Federal legislative activities. Representatives of the North Carolina General Assembly were contacted personally requesting their support in legislation affecting nursing.

Membership promoted by contacting all the nurses in the District and urging them to join ANA. Had a Tea to which written invitations were mailed to all nurses in the District.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by distributing recruitment material to prospective student nurses; members of the District assisted in planning a program on "nursing" during "Career Day" in the high school.

District and the hospitals have cooperated with the local Civil Defense Director.

Good newspaper coverage of meetings, and of the Tea. Members of the public health section appeared before several civic groups.

District bylaws are being revised.

Two hospitals have Social Security coverage.

Two hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

We named 1961 "Good Will Year" - instead of constant complaining, we have tried to spread good will and cheer and help among our members and non-member nurses. We found all nurses willing to help when there was a job to be done.

Outstanding Problems:

Membership
Attendance at meetings

Problems Are Being Met By:

Personal contact with members and non-members.
Extended invitations to the District to all new nurses.
Monthly notices were sent to each member.
Planned educational programs.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - - - - - - $308.33

DISTRICT ELEVEN
Mrs. Helen S. Miller, R. N., Durham, President

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 100
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 9

Membership - 410
Alumnae Associations - 4

Programs:

October 1960	"Clinical Research and the Nurses Role"
November 1960	Section Business Meetings and Programs
December 1960	"Legal Aspects of Nursing"
January 1961	"Nursing in Nicarauga"
February 1961	Report of a Seminar Project on "The Teaching of Psychiatric Aides"
March 1961	"Perfusion"
April 1961	"Chemopalidectomy as a Treatment in Parkinsons and Related Diseases"
May 1961	Case Presentation on "The Rehabilitation of a Patient", North Carolina Memorial Hospital Team
June 1961	"The Role of The Nurse in the Clinic"
September 1961	"Research in Nursing-Needs of the Older People"

Established Sections:

EACT	Rebecca Hill, Chairman, 21 Village Apts., Chapel Hill
General Duty and Head Nurse	Lucy T. Fort, Chairman, 203 Short Street, Chapel Hill

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NSA	Mrs. Varna K. Sticht, Chairman, 1902 Cone Mill Road, Durham
Private Duty	Martha Hughes, Chairman, 111 Alabama Avenue, Durham
Public Health	Shirley Callahan, Chairman, 14 Braddock Circle, Durham

Progress of the District Activities:

Bylaws revised.

Three hospitals have retirement plans for nurses in addition to Social Security coverage. Three hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

District has one honorary member.

Thelma Ingles served as District President until her resignation in August 1961.

DISTRICT TWELVE

Mrs. Mildred Kea Furmage, R. N., McCain, President

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 45
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 9

Membership - 97
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs:

October 1960	"Civil Defense", Mr. L. L. Beckham
November 1960	"Chemotherapy in Tuberculosis", Dr. Lucille Richardson
December 1960	Christmas Dinner, Election of Officers
January 1961	"Pleasant Attitude Important" - Film
February 1961	Business Meeting followed by Section Meetings
March 1961	Report on PC&PS Conference and Current Legislation, Mrs. Evelyn Talley
April 1961	Talent Show, Student Nurses, Hamlet School of Nursing
May 1961	Business followed by Section Meetings
September 1961	"In-Service Education", Mrs. Betty McLeod

Established Sections:

General Duty	Lucille Lewis, Chairman, North Carolina Sanatorium, McCain
Head Nurse	Mrs. Annie J. Wilson, Chairman, Route 1, Aberdeen
NSA	Mrs. Annie F. Lore, Chairman, Route 3, Sanford
Private Duty	Pearle A. Pearson, Chairman, 760 North May St., Southern Pines

Progress of the District Activities:

Members were informed on legislative news received from NCSNA and ANA; sent telegrams to legislators on four occasions and individual members contacted their legislators expressing their views on pending legislation affecting the nursing profession.

Membership promoted by personal contact; prospective members were invited to a dinner meeting.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by two members participating in "Career Day" activities and by distributing literature and other recruitment information to high school students interested in nursing.

Members participated in local Civil Defense Programs; two members gave program on Civil Defense to a Church group.

Newspaper coverage of meetings.

Many members actively participate in civic, school and church activities.

District bylaws have been revised.

Seven hospitals have Social Security coverage.

Two hospitals have retirement plans for nurses in addition to Social Security coverage.

Four hospitals have the forty-hour work week.

Prepared District handbook and distributed it to each member.

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Progress in the Fourth Quarter:

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Three [illegible] new [illegible] plans [illegible] to consider.

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[illegible] Industry Review.

Prime Tuition [illegible] Tuition [illegible] lowest [illegible].

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Very [illegible] [illegible] Fred [illegible]

[illegible] of meetings of Directors - [illegible]

[illegible] - 45

Number of Board of Directors meetings - 9

[illegible]

Programs:

[illegible]

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[illegible] "[illegible] Institute [illegible]" - [illegible]

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April 1961

May 1961

September 1961

Instructional Equipment:

General [illegible]

[illegible]

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Progress of [illegible] Program:

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Notices of meetings and programs are sent to members prior to the meeting.
Had cake and candy sale at three meetings to increase financial status.
Keeping a scrapbook on news items pertaining to nursing.
Sent flowers to members in time of bereavement.
Two members attended Institute on "Infection Control", Durham, April 26, 1961; two members attended PC&PS Conference, Raleigh, May 19, 1961.
District has one honorary member.

Outstanding Problems:

Membership
Attendance
Travel distance to attend meetings
Negative attitude of many nurses regarding the American Nurses' Foundation Fund Raising Campaign in North Carolina

Problems Are Being Met By:

Encouraging non-member nurses to join ANA.
Emphasizing the nurses assuming their responsibilities in regards to raising funds for causes related to the nursing profession.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - Checking account -- $218.13
Building and Loan -- $235.70

NSA Section of District Twelve--Mrs. Annie F. Lore, R.N., Chairman:

The Nursing Service Administrators Section of District Twelve held three Section meetings this year.
Section Rules were reviewed.
Eight members attended the NSA Institute in Raleigh, April 19, 1961.
Discussion of planning "In-Service Nursing Education" program.
Reminded of our responsibility as leaders in encouraging nurses to join ANA.
Members have shown more interest in section meetings and realize we need to study available materials from state and national level to continue to give better nursing care in our local hospitals.

Head Nurse Section of District Twelve--Mrs. Annie J. Wilson, R.N., Chairman:

The Head Nurse Section of District Twelve was organized January 11, 1961 and three meetings were held.
Section Rules were reviewed.
Two members attended Institute on "Professional Nurse Practice", held in Rocky Mount, May 24, 1961.
Two members attended the Institute held in Salisbury, May 26, 1961.
Members have shown more interest in section program and are endeavoring to use nursing materials from national, state, and local level to improve care.

General Duty Section of District Twelve--Lucille Lewis, R. N., Chairman:

The General Duty Section of District Twelve held three meetings.
Section Rules reviewed.
Two members attended the Institute on "Professional Nurse Practice" held in Rocky Mount, May 24, 1961.
Two members attended the Institute held in Salisbury, May 26, 1961.
Members have displayed more interest in section meetings.

Private Duty Section of District Twelve--Pearle A. Pearson, R.N., Chairman:

The Private Duty Section of District Twelve held three meetings.

Section Rules were reviewed.
Discussion of reports from state and national level, and local problems.
Interest in section program has increased.

DISTRICT THIRTEEN

Mrs. Hursie McLean Stockstill, R. N., Raleigh, President

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 44
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 10

Membership - 256
Alumnae Associations - 4

Programs:

October 1960	"Between You and Disaster", Skit, Mrs. Louise Shearin
November 1960	Business Meeting, Election of Officers
December 1960	Christmas Dinner
January 1961	Report on Institute on "Alcoholism", Ida Collie and Mary Garrell
February 1961	"Metastatic Carcinoma & Chemotherapy", Dr. Alex Webb
March 1961	"Rehabilitation, Education & Recreation", Charles Schuch, Dr. Isa Grant
April 1961	"Function of North Carolina Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education", Mrs. Eloise R. Lewis
May 1961	Tour of the new Wake County Health Center, Flora Wakefield
June 1961	"Closed Chest Cardiac Massage"--Illustrated Lecture, Dr. O. C. Kimbrell
September 1961	Review of Revised Bylaws, Ida Collie

Established Sections:

Private Duty — Mrs. Inez H. Wishon, Chairman, P.O. Box 1998, Raleigh

Progress of the District Activities:

Committee on Legislation informed the membership of legislation through District Newsletter and by making reports at the district meetings; members of the Committee wrote letters to state legislators regarding legislation affecting nursing and asked members of the District to contact their legislators and give them their personal opinion relative to pending nurse legislation.

Membership promoted by contacting all registered nurses residing in the district inviting them to the March meeting and to join ANA. All members of the District were asked to help contact the non-members. Membership material was distributed, and "Tag Week" was promoted for the week of March 21-31, 1961 during which time each member was encouraged to wear her membership tag. Any member who got five or more non-members was to have received an ANA pin.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by distributing in high schools pamphlets on nursing as a career.

Newspaper coverage of meetings.

District bylaws revised.

Six hospitals have Social Security coverage.

Two hospitals have a retirement plan in addition to Social Security coverage.

Seven hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

Cards were sent to ill members, gifts to members at Christmas who were less fortunate and ill, and sent flowers to bereaved members.

Increased attendance of members at conferences and institutes.

Monthly NewsLetter sent to each member with reports and announcements.

Participated in the ANF Fund-Raising Campaign.

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Members participated in the Red Cross volunteer program of teaching and nursing.
Two members attended the ANA Regional Conference in New York on "Professional Practice".
Two members are members of ANA committees.
Mrs. Ruby J. Brennecke served as District President until her resignation on October 1, 1961.

Outstanding Problems:
Conflict in the time of meetings of the District with other community organizations such as PTA, church, etc.
Having meetings at night when nurses are tired and have home obligations.

Financial Status:
Balance on hand - - - - - - - - - - $970.00

Private Duty Section of District Thirteen--Mrs. Inez H. Wishon, R.N., Chairman:
The Private Duty Section has held five meetings this year with an average attendance of twenty and a membership of eighty-two.
Private Duty fees increased to $16 for eight-hour shift.
Members gave one hundred hours of free service during the year.
We have had good attendance at "In-Service Programs" conducted by the hospitals.
Registry Rules were revised.

DISTRICT FOURTEEN

Mrs. Edith Chance, R. N., Fayetteville, President

Number of meetings of District - 11
Average attendance - 45
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 11
Membership - 192
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs:

March 1961	"Rescue Squad", Mr. Robert Brown
April 1961	Dinner Meeting
May 1961	"North Carolina Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education", Mrs. Eloise Lewis
June 1961	"Trip to Australia", Mrs. Margaret Dolan
July 1961	Family picnic
September 1961	"Public Relations", Mr. Ed Rankin

Established Sections:

General Duty	Mrs. John Kennedy, Chairman, 1201 A Branson Street, Fayetteville
NSA	Mrs. Edna McMillan, Chairman, 1020 Arsenal Avenue, Fayetteville
Office	Rosa Everitte, Chairman, Devereaux Apts., Fayetteville
Private Duty	Mrs. Myrtle Bracy, Chairman, 1611 Westlawn Ave., Fayetteville
Public Health	Mrs. Mary Jessup, Chairman, 2522 McNeill Circle, Fayetteville

Progress of the District Activities:
One hospital has Social Security coverage.
One hospital has forty-hour work week.
District gave certificates of appreciation to Mrs. Eva K. McGougan and Dr. Duncan Owen for their assistance in the success in ANA's Education Program, also presented Mrs. Ila Smith a certificate of appreciation for her outstanding contributions to the nursing field.

Contributed $60 at six months intervals to enable a worthy student nurse at Highsmith Hospital School of Nursing to continue her training.
Sponsoring the development of a Recipe Cook Book for sale to assist with our Student Nurse Program.

Financial Status:
Balance on hand - - - - - - more than $300.00

NSA Section of District Fourteen--Mrs. Edna McMillan, R. N., Chairman:
The NSA Section has held two meetings following District meetings with a good average attendance.
Accepted as a project for the year the compiling and publishing of a "Cook Book" in order to raise funds for a scholarship to assist student nurses in this area.

Private Duty Section of District Fourteen--Mrs. Myrtle Bracey, R.N., Chairman:
The Private Duty Section has had three meetings during the year.
Nine members of the Section attended the Private Duty Workshop held in Fayetteville.

DISTRICT FIFTEEN

Mrs. Grace Smith, R. N., Lumberton, President

Number of meetings of District - 7
Average attendance - 16
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 1
Membership - 30
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs:

January 1961	"The Cost of the Nursing Care of the Patient", James M. Devane
February 1961	Report on Workshop on CVA, Chapel Hill, Mrs. Mary Bellinger
March 1961	"The Nurses Role in Prevention of Hepatitis", Dr. J. Koman
April 1961	"The North Carolina Eye Bank", Mrs. Morrell
May 1961	"Oral Agents in the Treatment of Diabetes", Dr. Rawland Pittman
June 1961	Social Meeting
September 1961	"A Trip to Russis", Mr. Alton Smith

Established Sections:

EACT	Mrs. Elizabeth Nye, Chairman, 1009 E. 6th St., Lumberton
General Duty	Mrs. Nannie Cozart, Chairman, Rowland
NSA	Mrs. Margarlett Willoughby, Chairman, Box 82, Clarkton
Office	Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell, Chairman, 201 Church St.,Fairmont
Private Duty	Mrs. Rachel Baxley, Chairman, 601 W. 24th St., Lumberton
Public Health	Mrs. Sophronia Wilkerson, Chairman, Route 1, Lumberton

Progress of District Activities:
Discussed SB 23 (to increase the licensing application fee) and HB 582 (all-nurse Board).
Recruitment of student nurses promoted by faculty of the school of nursing visiting high schools on "Career Days".
Good newspaper coverage of meetings including announcement and write-ups following the meetings.
Three hospitals have Social Security coverage.
Three hospitals have forty-hour work week.

DISTRICT SIXTEEN

Mrs. Mildred G. Heath, R. N., Whiteville, President

Number of meetings of District - 10
Average attendance - 17
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 0

Membership - 45
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

October 1960	Business Meeting
November 1960	Report of NCSNA Convention, delegates
December 1960	Christmas Party, election of officers
January 1961	Business Meeting
February 1961	"Hypnosis", Dr. Jim Wideman
March 1961	"Mental Health", Mrs. Jane Ellis
April 1961	"Physio-therapy", Mr. W. M. Wagner
May 1961	"Heart Diseases and Nursing Care", film
June 1961	Review of State and District Bylaws
September 1961	"Cardiac Massage", film

Established Sections:

Private Duty — Mrs. Leah F. Powell, Chairman, 414 S. Franklin Street, Whiteville

Progress of District Activities:

Contacted legislators by letter and telephone relative to SB 23 (increasing licensing application fees) and HB 582 (all-nurse Board).

Membership promoted by contacting each nurse in the District by cards, telephone and in person and by placing posters in the hospitals in the District.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by members speaking at high school "Career Day" Programs, and offered a $100 scholarship to eligible high school graduate toward their nursing career.

One member visited the county high school on "Career Day".

The District contributed $25 to the North Carolina Battleship fund.

District bylaws have been revised.

One hospital has Social Security coverage.

One hospital has a forty-hour work week.

Outstanding Problems:

Poor attendance at meetings

Not enough private duty nurses

Problems Are Being Met By:

Having more interesting programs

General duty nurses doing private duty on days off

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - - - - $402.41

DISTRICT SEVENTEEN

Mrs. Dorothy Frost, R. N., Roanoke Rapids, President

Number of meetings of District - 8
Average attendance - 18
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 2

Membership - 43
Alumnae Association - 1

Programs:

October 1960	"Accredited Hospitals", Dr. H. H. Weathers
November 1960	"Blue Cross and Blue Shield Insurance", Insurance Representative
December 1960	Christmas Party
January 1961	"The Nurse and Laws Affecting Hospitals", Mrs. Mary Virginia Hale
February 1961	Business Meeting
March 1961	Business Meeting
April 1961	Institute--"The Patient-Nurse Role in Mental Health", Dr. Esindorfer
May 1961	Business Meeting

Established Sections:

Private Duty Mrs. Frances Clary, Chairman, Box 41, Gaston

Progress of District Activities:

Membership promoted by sending letter and application form to all registered nurses in the District who are not members of ANA.
Members of the District cooperated with the hospital in making plans in the event of a disaster.
Good newspaper and radio coverage of meetings.
One hospital has a forty-hour work week.
District raised $162 for the ANF Fund.
Made plan for two or three institutes for the year and invited non-members to attend.
Supported Hospital Guild in their Annual Fund Raising Event--purchased a $25 ad.
Public health nurses have been very active in workshops and institutes.
Sent cards and letters to members when ill, and flowers to bereaved members.
Members attended the NCSNA Annual Convention.

Outstanding Problems:

Yearly decrease in members
Lack of professional support
Slow committee activities

Problems Are Being Met By:

Notifying members in advance of meetings.
Reminding all nurses that it is a privilege to be an ANA member and that "more members - more progress".

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - - - - $52.40

DISTRICT EIGHTEEN

Mrs. Anna D. Roberson, R. N., Wilson, President

Number of meetings of District - 7
Average attendance - 26
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 5
Membership - 116
Alumnae Associations - 2

Programs:

January 1961	"Cardiac Arrest", Dr. William Gee
February 1961	Book Review - "I Believe in Immortality", Mrs. Roger Westmoreland

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March 1961	Skit-"The Good 'Ole Days When You Were a Student"- Students, Wilson School of Nursing
April 1961	"Alcoholism", Mr. Gene Bass
May 1961	"The Work of Mental Health Clinic", Dr. John Megill
June 1961	"Open Treatments of Burns", Film
September 1961	"You and Social Security", Mrs. Sarah Purington

Established Sections:

EACT	Mrs. Marion Honeycutt, Chairman, 611 Broad Street, Wilson
NSA	Mrs. Ruth Martin, Chairman, 205 Southerland St., Mt. Olive
Private Duty	Mrs. Irene Beland, Chairman, 1109 S. Tarboro St., Wilson
Public Health	Mrs. Florence Johnson, Chairman, 1508 Laurel St.,Goldsboro

Progress of District Activities:

Members have been informed of legislative matters affecting nurses; members have contacted legislators giving them their viewpoint.
Membership promoted by inviting members of the Graduating Class as guests to the District meeting.
Recruitment of student nurses promoted through the school of nursing by faculty visiting high schools. Members of the District participated in high school "Career Day Programs".
District bylaws have been revised.
Five hospitals have Social Security coverage.
Two hospitals have retirement plan in addition to Social Security coverage.
Four hospitals have a forty-hour work week.
Have a loan fund for a student at Wilson School of Nursing.
Mrs. Rebecca B. Hobgood served as District President until her death on September 2, 1961.

Outstanding Problems:

Membership.
Lack of interest in District and Section organizations.
Lack of cooperation among hospital personnel in hospital activities.
Poor attendance.

Problems Are Being Met By:

Sending written invitation to non-members inviting them to join ANA.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - - - - $600.00

DISTRICT NINETEEN

Mrs. Evelyn H. Morris, R. N., Elizabeth City, President

Number of meetings of District - 7
Average attendance - 10
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 2
Membership - 29
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

February 1961	"Winslow Nursing Home", Mr. Arthur Bryant
May 1961	"The Lord's Prayer", Rev. R. J. Jerome
June 1961	"Public Relations Concerning Nursing", Mrs. Charlotte Fearing

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Alethia Jenkins, Chairman, Box 50, Shiloh

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[illegible] 1951 "[illegible]"
[illegible] "The [illegible]"
[illegible] "Open [illegible]", [illegible]
[illegible] 1951 "[illegible]"

Established Sections:
NAC [illegible]
NEC [illegible]
Private [illegible] [illegible]
Public Relations [illegible]

Programs of Activities in Sections:
Members have been invited to [illegible]
cases have contributed [illegible]
[illegible] presented [illegible]
guests to the [illegible]
[illegible] of [illegible]
[illegible] visiting [illegible]
in high school "[illegible]"
[illegible] [illegible]
Five hospitals [illegible]
The hospitals [illegible]
Four hospitals [illegible]
Have a [illegible]
Mrs. [illegible] "[illegible]"
[illegible]

Outstanding Problems:
[illegible]
[illegible] of interest [illegible]
Lack of [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] attendance.

Problems and Relationships
Dealing with [illegible]

Financial Status.
Balance on [illegible] - [illegible]

[illegible]
Mrs. Evelyn R. [illegible], Elizabeth City, [illegible]

Number of meetings of [illegible] - [illegible]
Average attendance - [illegible]
Number of Board of Directors meetings - [illegible]

Programs:
[illegible] 1951 [illegible]
May 1951 "[illegible]"
June 1951 "[illegible]"

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Established Contacts:
[illegible] Bldg. Mrs. [illegible], [illegible], Box 57, [illegible]

Progress of District Activities:

Membership promoted by contacting all RNs in the area inviting them to attend meetings.

One hospital has Social Security coverage.

District has one honorary member.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - - - - $86.86

DISTRICT TWENTY

Mrs. Wilma R. Garris, R. N., Rocky Mount, President

Number of meetings of District - 8

Average attendance 40

Number of Board of Directors meetings - 8

Membership - 134

Alumnae Associations - 2

Programs:

October 1960	"United Nations", Mr. E. Frank Ruble
November 1960	Business Meeting, Installation of Officers
January 1961	Business Meeting
February 1961	"American Nurses' Foundation Fund", Mrs. Mary R. Griffin
March 1961	Discussion of Senate Bill 23, Mrs. Priscilla Ballance, Mrs. Amanda Gurley
April 1961	"Economic Security Program", Mrs. Marie B. Noell
May 1961	"Cardio-Vascular Spasm", Dr. J. S. Brock
June 1961	Film - "Exchange Transfusion in Treatment of Erythroblastosis Foetalis"

Established Sections:

General Duty	Mrs. Flora Parker, Chairman, 2617 Memorial Dr., Greenville
Private Duty	Mrs. Lottie Stallings, Chairman, 1005 Tarboro Street, Rocky Mount

Progress of District Activities:

Legislative reports from ANA and NCSNA presented to members. Members actively participated in opposing SB 23 (increasing the licensure application fees) and supporting HB 582 (all-nurse Board). Several members attended the hearing on HB 582.

Membership promoted by personal contact and inviting all nurses to join ANA. Special invitations were extended to new graduates. Directors of nursing have cooperated in membership promotion by encouraging and urging NCSNA membership as of January 1, 1961. One hospital requires all supervisors and head nurses to be ANA members.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by members of the District and faculty members speaking to interested senior students on high school "Career Days".

A list of registered nurses in the various categories is kept up-to-date and given to hospitals in Nash and Edgecombe County Police Departments and Red Cross offices; gave talk on "Disaster Nursing" at Red Cross District Meeting; Washington nurses participated in a "trial disaster run" in cooperation with the Civil Defense local unit.

Fair newspaper coverage of meetings.

District bylaws revised and copies given to all members.

Four hospitals have Social Security coverage.

One hospital has a retirement plan in addition to Social Security coverage.

One hospital has a forty-hour work week.

Established a General Duty Section.

Private Duty Nurses attended the institute in Fayetteville and participated in the program.
District has one honorary member.

Outstanding Problems:
Distance to travel to attend meetings.
Attendance at meetings.
Decrease in membership by eleven.
Interesting new graduates to attend meetings.

Problems Are Being Met By:
Having dinner meetings.
Sending monthly notices and letter to members prior to the meetings giving topics and news of special interest.
Sending special invitation to new graduates to attend meetings.

Financial Status:
Balance on hand - - September 12, 1961- - - $239.00

Private Duty Section of District Twenty--Mrs. Lottie Stallings, R.N., Chairman:
The Private Duty Section has seventy-five active members with five new members this year. Two members have died and several retired or moved away from the District.
Have had five meetings with an average attendance of twenty.
Each nurse is required to buy a book of billheads before going on the registry.
Get well cards were sent to nurses who were ill.
Some of the members of the Section attended and participated in the Private Duty Institute held in Fayetteville.
Supper meetings have helped to increase attendance at meetings.

DISTRICT TWENTY-ONE
Mrs. Eunice Ramer, R. N., New Bern, President

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 23
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 7
Membership - 69
Alumnae Association - 1

Programs:

October 1960	Business Meeting
November 1960	"Radiation", Dr. Russell Barnes
January 1961	"New Developments in the Care of the Premature Infant", Dr. Junius Davis
February 1961	"The Role of The Pathologist on the Health Team", Dr. D. Lippett
March 1961	"Cancer of the Female, Reproductive Organs", Dr. Robert Baker
April 1961	"How Membership in ANA Benefits the Registered Nurse", Helen E. Peeler
May 1961	"Coronary Heart Disease", Dr. Hamer
June 1961	Business Meeting

Progress of District Activities:
Wrote letters to Governor's Office, representatives of Carteret and Craven counties, and to the Senate Finance Committee regarding SB 23 (bill to increase the licensing application fees).

[illegible] Tuberculosis Association
in the past year.
Problems in the community [illegible]

Outstanding Problems:
Failure to lower to normal weights.
Attendance at meetings.
Decrease in membership in [illegible].
Interesting new projects in other [illegible]

Problems for Next Year:
Having dentist [illegible]
Making morbidity reduces all lesions [illegible]
Visits and news of special [illegible].
[illegible] special [illegible] to [illegible]

Financial Status:
Fund on hand - - [illegible]

Private Duty Section of [illegible]
The Private Duty [illegible]
members this year. [illegible]
away from the [illegible]
have had fire [illegible]
Each nurse is required [illegible]
[illegible] duty.
Off well [illegible]
Some of the members [illegible]
Private Duty [illegible]
Support [illegible]

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[illegible]

Number of meetings of [illegible] - [illegible]
Average attendance - [illegible]
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 7

Finances:
October [illegible]
November [illegible]
January [illegible]
[illegible]
February [illegible]
[illegible]
March [illegible] [illegible], [illegible]
[illegible]
April [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]
May [illegible] [illegible]
June [illegible] [illegible]

Progress of Health [illegible]
Note letter to Commissioner, progress [illegible]
[illegible], and to the Service [illegible]
[illegible] the [illegible]

Membership promoted by personal contact with non-members, personal invitation to nurses who do not regularly attend District meetings, and radio and newspaper notices of each monthly meeting.
Recruitment of student nurses promoted by sponsoring "future nurses clubs", employing prospective student nurses as aides, and members appearing as speakers on "Career Day" at the Girls Scouts "Little Round Up".
Members of the District attended an all day meeting on Civil Defense sponsored by Bureau of Medicine & Surgery, Washington, D. C., and conducted at the U.S. Naval Hospital, Camp Lejeune.
President appeared before the New Bern Shrinette Club and spoke on "What the Public Expects of the Nurse, and What The Nurse Expects of the Public".
Newspaper and radio coverage of meetings.
Five hospitals have Social Security coverage.
Five hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

Outstanding Problems:
Travel distance for some members to attend regularly.
Too few nurses to form sections.
Small percentage of nurses in District who are members.
New graduates not impressed with importance of membership.
Complaints about dues.

Problems Are Being Met By:
Trying to arrange meeting place in order to equalize driving distances for all members.
Membership has been promoted actively.
Stressing the importance of membership.
Inviting the new graduate as guests to the outstanding educational programs, stressing the fact that the new graduate is "wanted".

Financial Status:
Balance on hand - - - - - - - $164.84

DISTRICT TWENTY-TWO
Mrs. Rebekah J. Burriss, R. N., Wilmington, President

Number of meetings of District - 9
Average attendance - 24
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 2
Membership - 164
Alumnae Association - 1

Programs:

October 1960	Review of Proposed Bylaws, Mrs. McKeithan and Mrs. Schlegel; "American Nursing Foundation", Stella Stone; "Need for Scholarships for Teachers in Schools of Nursing", Annie Lou Davis
November 1960	Skit, Student Nurses
December 1960	Reading—"Story of the First Carol", Emma Lossan
January 1961	Business Meeting
February 1961	"Heart Clinics", Dr. Rowena Hall
March 1961	"Activities of the Welfare Department", Mrs. Helen Sneeden
April 1961	"Positioning and Motion Exercise for the Stroke Patient", Mrs. Betty Lawson
May 1961	"Family Care Study of CVA Patient", Mrs. Barbara Morrell

Established Sections:
Private Duty — Mrs. Gladys Costello, Chairman, 3702 Stratford Boulevard, Wilmington

Progress of District Activities:

Members of the District contacted their legislators requesting their support on the scholarship legislation and HR 582 (providing for an all-nurse Board); published legislative news in NewsLetter.

Membership has increased this year with nine new members and twenty-two reinstated; interesting programs have improved the attendance at the monthly meetings. District section membership is as follows: 71 PD (100%), 34 GD, 13 HN, 7 EACT, 16 NSA, 19 PH, 3 Occu. H., 1 CESR, and 2 associate members.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by faculty members visiting high schools (8) on "Career Days"; the school received approximately 150 requests for information relative entrance requirements, tested 100 applicants, accepted 35 applicants, and admitted 30.

Good television and radio coverage of meeting relative to American Nurses' Foundation Fund-Raising Campaign; some newspaper coverage; four nurses gave a program to the Kiwanis Club on "The Nursing Profession, It's Problems and It's Satisfactions".

Four hospitals have Social Security coverage.

Four hospitals have forty-hour work week.

District went over our goal in the American Nurses' Foundation Fund-Raising campaign.

District has one "Life Member".

Outstanding Problems:

Lack of support from graduate nurses.

Problems Are Being Met By:

Telephone and personal interviews.

Monthly NewsLetter nine months per year was sent.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand August 31, 1961 - - - - $626.25

Private Duty Section District Twenty-Two--Mrs. Gladys Costello, R.N., Chairman:

Private Duty Section has had a very good year. In cooperation with the staff of James Walker Memorial Hospital, we have on several occasions seen very informative films, and have heard lectures by well-known doctors.

We have a drop in private duty nurses in Wilmington due to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad leaving Wilmington. At the present time we have 65 active nurses on the Registry.

Members of the Section supported the bond issue for the new hospital and made several television appearances and appeared before civic groups.

The members of the Section are privileged to have had the NCSNA Private Duty Section Chairman as a member of our Section. She has been a great help to your chairman this year.

The Section is always represented at the NCSNA Conventions and several members have participated in institutes.

Attendance has increased from 6 to 8 to 15 during the year, and the private duty nurses have cooperated with the Chairman 100%.

Members are kept informed of new medicine and treatments.

The Section has cooperated with the District during the year especially in fund raising.

We have a representative on Civil Defense for one year.

DISTRICT TWENTY-THREE

Helen Ghormley, R. N., Robbinsville, President

Number of meetings of District - 5
Average attendance - 7
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 2

Membership - 20
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

January 1961	"Radiation-Doctor and Patient"
March 1961	"Rescue Breathing", Film and Rescue Squad
May 1961	"Hospital Sepsis"
July 1961	"Cerebral Vascular Disease" and "Challenge to Management"
September 1961	"Life Story-Cancer"- Illustrated Lecture, Mr. Tuttle

Progress of District Activities:

Sent letters and telegrams to legislators and contacted them personally relative to legislation affecting nurses.
Recruitment of student nurses promoted through members visiting high schools.
Had Civil Defense Program in Sylva and the Cherokee Indian Reservation.
Had Cancer Program at the Rural Health Fair.
One hospital has Social Security coverage.
Two hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

Outstanding Problems:

Distance to travel meetings.
Members scattered over large area.

Financial Status:

Good

DISTRICT TWENTY-FOUR

Mrs. Maud S. Peele, R. N., Ahoskie, President

Number of Meetings of District - 7
Average attendance - 7
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 2

Membership - 21
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

January 1961	"The Day Called X" - Film on Civil Defense, Mayor Vinson

Established Sections:

General Duty	Mrs. Jo Caudle, Chairman, Roanoke-Chowan Hospital, Ahoskie
Head Nurse	Mrs. Betty Shue, Chairman, 903 Curtis St., Ahoskie
NSA	Anna Ingram, Chairman, Roanoke-Chowan Hospital, Ahoskie
Private Duty	Mrs. Ann Hill, Chairman, Como
Public Health	Mrs. Elizabeth Hayes, Chairman, Health Dept., Gatesville

Progress of District Activities:

Members contacted representatives requesting their support on HB 582 (providing an all-nurse Board).
Membership promoted by having two dinner meetings.
Recruitment of student nurses promoted by public health nurses a visiting and speaking in schools.
One member appeared before District 15 of North Carolina Federation of Women's Club.
Newspaper coverage of American Nurses' Foundation Drive.

One member appeared before Business and Professional Women's Club and spoke on "Nursing and American Nurses' Foundation".
Two hospitals have Social Security coverage.
Two hospitals have a forty-hour work week.

Outstanding Problems:
Disinterest in nursing organizations.

Financial Status:
Balance on hand - - - - - - - - $25.00

DISTRICT TWENTY-FIVE
Mrs. Louise Vickery, R. N., North Wilkesboro, President

Number of meetings of District - 12
Average attendance - 10
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 3
Membership - 21
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

October 1960	"Mentally Retarded Child", Mrs. R. B. Meyers
November 1960	Report of NCSNA Convention, delegates
December 1960	Christmas Party
January 1961	"Antibotics and Synthetic Pencillin", Mrs. H. Teader
February 1961	"Legal Aspects of Records, etc.", Mrs. Dorothy Sebastin
March 1961	"Religion in Medicine", Dr. R. E. Lewis
April 1961	"First Aid", Mr. H. D. Caudill
May 1961	"Defibrillator", Explanation and Demonstration, Dr. John Bond
June 1961	"Fifty Thousand Lives", Film
July 1961	"Hospital Administration", M. E. Bullard
August 1961	Picnic
September 1961	"Public Health", Mrs. Grace Daniels

Progress of District Activities:
Contacted legislators by letter, telephone and telegrams expressing our views on legislative matters affecting nurses.
Efforts made to increase membership.
Recruitment of student nurses promoted by members speaking to high school groups, two future nurses clubs in high schools, making scholarship award to a student nurse, and one member teaches a class of Girl Scout Aides.
Discussed Civil Defense at meetings.
Good newspaper coverage of meetings.
Three hospitals have Social Security coverage.

Outstanding Problems:
Lack of new members.
Poor attendance at meetings even though programs have been excellent.

Problems Are Being Met By:
Personal contact.
Striving to interest non-member nurses to become active members.

Financial Status:
Balance on hand - - - - - - $158.28

DISTRICT TWENTY-SIX

Mrs. Rubye B. Bryson, R. N., Waynesville, President

Number of meetings of District - 11
Average attendance - 20
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 3

Membership - 28
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

January 1961	Film and Panel Discussion on "ANA"
February 1961	"Old North State", Film and Discussion
March 1961	"Muscular Dystrophy", Dr. Wallace Brown
April 1961	"Bennett Respiration Unit", Dr. David Dyer
May 1961	"Medical Missionary Work in Alaska", Anne Dills
July 1961	Picnic

Established Sections:

General Duty	Pat Queen, Chairman, Haywood County Hospital, Waynesville
NSA	Dorothy Fuller, Chairman, Haywood County Hospital, Waynesville
Private Duty	Mrs. Ellis Smart, Chairman, Route 3, Clyde
Public Health	Mrs. Fannye Martin, Chairman, Health Dept., Waynesville

Progress of District Activities:

Legislative Committee individually and collectively contacted members of legislation personally and by letter, and the entire District worked very hard to present our views relative to nurse legislation to our legislators.

Membership promoted by a very active committee using many methods including posting large poster boards in hospital showing the names of members and non-members, devoting the January meeting to benefits and privileges of membership, and giving a special tea for non-members.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by a special committee working with prospective students in high schools in the county. Scholarship funds are now sending six students to schools of nursing.

Individual members have taken special classes in Civil Defense methods, first aid and home nursing.

Newspaper coverage of each meeting; work of nurse brought to the attention of civic clubs.

District bylaws have been revised.

One hospital has Social Security coverage.

Had the annual Valentine Dance and Thanksgiving Dinner as fund raising events. These projects have done much toward establishing the District in the community and promoting scholarships for students.

Outstanding Problems:

Increasing membership; many nurses refuse to join because of high dues.

Consistent attendance at meetings.

Problems Are Being Met By:

Special letters to non-members and special programs to inform non-members of benefits and privileges of membership.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - -	Regular Fund - - - - -	$390.00
	Scholarship Fund - - -	1000.00

DISTRICT TWENTY-SEVEN

Mrs. Marcia S. Powell, R. N., Warsaw, President

Number of meetings of District - 11
Average attendance - 15
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 4

Membership - 30
Alumnae Association - 0

Programs:

October 1960	Business Meeting, Election of Officers
November 1960	Report of NCSNA Convention, Mary Bowden
December 1961	Dinner Meeting, Installation of Officers
January 1961	Business Meeting, Appointment of Committees
February 1961	"Role of the Nurse in an Emergency", Dr. Glenn S. Rasmussen
March 1961	"Nursing as a Vocation and/or Calling", Rev. Lauren Sharpe
April 1961	"Medical Research in Regards to Drugs of the Present Day", C. J. Wheeler
May & June 1961	"Disaster Nursing--Part I and II", Annie C. Rhodes and Mrs. Marcia Powell
July 1961	"Report on Recent Nursing Legislation" and "Nursing Advancement", Mrs. Marie B. Noell
September 1961	Dinner and Business Meeting

Established Sections:

General Duty	Mrs. Mae Griffin, Chairman, Burgaw
Head Nurse	Mrs. Ruby Merritt, Chairman, Rt. 1, Box 348, Magnolia
NSA	Dorothy Saunders, Chairman, Box 60, Burgaw
Office Nurse	Mrs. Ruth Quinn, Chairman, P.O. Box 128, Magnolia
Private Duty	Mrs. Sarah Wells, Chairman, Route 1, Wallace
Public Health	Mrs. Helen Ballard, Chairman, 214 W. Clement St., Wallace

Progress of District Activities:

Members were informed of current legislation and members took an active part in legislative activities affecting nurses and nursing and contacted legislators personally and by wire expressing their views and requesting the support of legislators.

Membership promoted by an intensive membership drive at each hospital and personal visits to non-members telling them of the advantages and benefits of belonging to ANA.

Recruitment of student nurses promoted by making plans for the organization of "Future Nurses Clubs" in the various high schools during the year 1961-1962.

Two members of the District attended a two-day Institute at Camp Lejeune sponsored by the Navy Research Center at Bethesada, Maryland; and they spoke to the group at a special meeting and gave them the information.

Excellent newspaper coverage by local and county papers.

District bylaws have been revised.

Two hospitals have Social Security coverage for nurses.

Two hospitals have adopted the forty-hour work week.

Private Duty rates are now $14 in both hospitals.

Both hospitals are endeavoring to have nursing staff meetings.

Interest in nursing in rural areas is being stimulated by members as we have a great shortage of nurses in this area at present.

Outstanding Problems:

Poor attendance due to distance involved in this rural area.

Indifference of non-members re belonging to ANA.

Non-members state that they will get the same benefits even if they don't belong to ANA.

Problems Are Being Met By:

Centralization of locations for meetings.
Trying to show non-members the advantages of belonging to ANA.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand - - - -August 31, 1961 - - $127.25

DISTRICT TWENTY-EIGHT
Hazel Wilfong, R. N., Newton, President

Number of meetings of District - 10
Average attendance - 23
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 1

Membership - 53
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

January, February, and March 1961	"Organization of New District"
April 1961	"Chest Surgery", Dr. Riley
May 1961	"History of Blood Transfusions", Dr. B. L. Rabold
June 1961	"Pregnancies", Dr. Robert Cushman
July 1961	Picnic

Established Sections:

EACT	Marion Cope, Chairman, Richard Baker Hospital, Hickory
General Duty	Mrs. Rosa Burns, Chairman, 346 5th St., SE, Hickory
Private Duty	Mrs. Bernice Smyre, Chairman, Route 2, Newton
Public Health	Mrs. Sarah King, Chairman, Moss Apt. 4, Hickory

Progress of District Activities:

Committee on Legislation has been very active in informing members of legislative activities.
Membership has been promoted by all members contacting non-members by telephone, correspondence and through radio and newspaper publicity.
Newspaper coverage of District activities.
District bylaws have been revised.
One hospital has Social Security coverage for nurses.

Outstanding Problems:

Getting office and general duty nurses interested in our new District.

ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT ONE — THREE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

MEMORIAL MISSION HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Emma J. Butler, R. N., Asheville, President

No Report

MERIWEATHER HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Jessie Lusk, R. N., Asheville, President

The Meriweather Hospital Alumnae Association has not been very active, however, we still have a treasury and a few members continue to pay their dues. There are so few Meriweather nurses left that we find it difficult to continue an organization.

MOUNTAIN SANITARIUM and HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Barbara Bryant, R.N., Elizabeth City, President

No Report

DISTRICT TWO TWO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

GRACE HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Betty W. Smith, R. N., Morganton, President

Other officers are: Vice-President, Pat E. Cowan; Recording Secretary, Mildred Hunt; Treasurer, Jean Wall; and Corresponding Secretary, Mary Oxford.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with good attendance. Varied, informative and educational programs have been presented. Current active members are approximately thirty.

Standing committees are program, telephone, sunshine, refreshment, and publicity.

The associations main project was the sponsoring of a $980.00 scholarship for a day student at Lenoir-Rhyne College which our hospital school of nursing is now affiliated with in a four-year program. Other projects are financing candy machine for student nurses' home and the following money raising projects: selling candy, knives, rummage sales, cooked food sales and white elephant sales --all of which have been very profitable. Plans are being made at present for a benefit Bridge and Canasta Party in the near future.

Financial status: Total in checking - $506.32
Total in savings - 175.00

RUTHERFORD HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Marjorie Wells, R. N., Rutherfordton, President

The Rutherford Hospital Nurses Alumnae Association, for the year 1960-61, has a membership of twenty-nine and has held ten meetings. Other officers are: Mrs. Cleo Hoffman, Vice-President; Mrs. Virginia Flack, Secretary; and Mrs. Cornelia Vess, Treasurer.

The Association has had eight interesting programs with a social gathering in June and December. The following projects were carried out: bronze placque placed in living room of Nurses Home in memory of Mrs. Maude Cranfield, former Director of Nurses; rummage sale, coffee urn purchased for recreational use, gifts and cards to sick members, clothing donation to the blind, gifts to student nurses at Christmas time, and assisted at Blook Bank.

DISTRICT THREE FOUR ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

CITY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Bettie Miller, R. N., President, Winston-Salem

No Report

KATE BITTING REYNOLDS HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mae Bell Cobb, R. N., Winston-Salem, President

No Report

MARTIN MEMORIAL NURSES ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Mildred B. Wall, R. N., Mt. Airy, President

This year, the Martin Memorial Nurses Alumnae Association has sold ads in order to have a reprint of the Martin Memorial Nurses Alumnae cookbook. Our previous supply of 1500 has been sold, and we plan to print 500 more. With the funds, we are anticipating a picnic area and furnace on the grounds of the nurses' home.

Other officers for the year 1961 are as follows: Vice-President, Mrs. Esther McMillian; Secretary, Mrs. Nell Birkner; Treasurer, E. May Hylton; Board of Directors, Mrs. Bertha Ashby, Mrs. Ila Chilton, Mrs. Polly Simmons, and Mrs. Frances Gwyn.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Gladys Miller, R. N., Winston-Salem, President

The North Carolina Baptist Hospital Alumnae Association has thirty-four resident members, seventy non-resident members, twenty associate members, and four honorary members.

The Association has had seven meetings with programs as follows: October, Mrs. Crandall spoke on "Dried and Fall Flower Arrangements"; November, Dr. Meredith gave illustrated lecture with slides on "Trip to Russia"; December, Pot Luck Supper; January, Business Meeting; February, Dr. Claude Rankin, Medical Missionary to Hong Kong, gave illustrated lecture with slides; April, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Newport gave illustrated lecture with slides on "Trip to Europe"; May, Business Meeting.

The Association gave $25.00 to the Student Library for purchase of books; purchased a French Tole Vase for the Library in honor of 1961 graduating class; one member represented the Association at 1960 NCSNA convention; contributed $270.00 (in addition to dues) for furnishing our apartment; and have three student nurses participating in our loan program at present.

The September meeting will be in the form of a picnic for members and their families.

Other officers are Mrs. Nancy Boyles, Secretary, and Ruth Van Poole, Treasurer.

DISTRICT FOUR THREE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DAVIS HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Virginia A. Clark, R. N., Statesville, President

Davis Hospital School of Nursing Alumnae Association has one hundred and thirty members and has held nine meetings.

Other officers are: First Vice-President, Rose Mildred Steele; Second Vice-President, Viola Goforth Robertson; Recording Secretary, Marjorie Caudill Harris; Correspondeng Secretary, Mary Jo Myers; Treasurer, Rosa Tomlin; Board of Directors, Zelma M. Overcash, Rachel C. Reavis, Peggy Laws, and Mary V. Wilkinson.

Projects: (1) 1960 issues of The American Journal of Nursing bound and placed in library of the nursing school; (2) Newsletter of activities around

the hospital and of alumnae association sent to every graduate of the school; (3) Maintained a scholarship fund which is used almost annually by some deserving student nurse who is in need of financial assistance during her school of nursing program; (4) Bronze placques will be placed beneath the portraits of Dr. James W. Davis and Miss Elizabeth Hill, R.N. which hang in the lobby of the new modern diagnostic clinic, which will identify Dr. Davis as the founder of the hospital and its school for nurses and Miss Hill as his able assistant in this work and who continues to be the guiding light in this progressive school for nurses as its superintendent.

H.F. LONG HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Faye W. Sloan, R. N., Mooresville, President

No Report

LOWRANCE HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Ruth Compton, R. N., Mooresville, President

Other officers are: Vice-President, Mrs. Willie Shumaker; Secretary, Mrs. Betty L. Horton; Treasurer, Mrs. Frances L. Edmiston.

The following programs have been most interesting:

October, 1960	Slides and report on"Trip to Cuba",Rev Geter Porch
November, 1960	Report on NCSNA Convention, Leona Duckworth
December, 1960	Christmas Party
January, 1961	Installation of officers and committees
February, 1961	Covered dish supper - Committee reports
March, 1961	Skits on Pediatric Nursing, Student Nurses
April, 1961	"Civil Defense", Mr. Barrier
May, 1961	"The Nurse and the Law", Mr. William Neel, Attorney at Law
June, 1961	Social hour and group meetings
August, 1961	Annual picnic
September, 1961	"Refinishing Picture Frames", Mrs. Sarah Brown and Lala Parris

The Alumnae Association has been active during the past year. The sick and bereaved members have been remembered with cards and flowers. Loretta Harris of Denton is receiving our scholarship for a student nurse at Lowrance Hospital School of Nursing. Carol Beaver, a graduate in August 1961, received the annual Dr. W. D. McLelland Surgical Award.

The Alumnae was hostess to District Four in May. Two newsletters have been sent to all members this year. Our meetings are held on the first Monday night in each month except July with an average attendance of twenty-six.

DISTRICT FIVE

FIVE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

CHARLOTTE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Alberta Scoggins, R. N., Charlotte, President

The Alumnae Association of Charlotte Memorial Hospital School of Nursing held ten monthly meetings during the year 1961. There are sixty active members with an average attendance of twelve.

Other officers are: Vice-President, Mary Ann Jordan; Secretary, Mrs. Alene Blair; Treasurer, Jeanette DeWitt.

Programs were as follows: October- "Fashion Parade of Uniforms"; November- Business Meeting; December- Election of officers and Christmas party; January- "Expansion Program of Charlotte Memorial Hospital"; February-"Nursing And Home Life in South America"; March-"Current Changes in Student Curriculum", Ethel Faye Burton, Director of School of Nursing; April- Business Meeting; May- "The Nurse's Role In The Nurse-Patient-Minister Relationship"; July- "Hair Styling and Cosmetics", a Professional Hair-Stylist; August- Annual picnic with the Graduating Senior Class as guest.

Newsletters were mailed to all Alumnae members once this year informing them of activities and projects of the Alumnae Association. The annual pin awarded to a graduating senior who had shown outstanding leadership ability was presented to Rose Simpson at Graduation Exercises. This student was also given a years membership in the Alumnae.

Two bake sales were held with profits of $90.00 and $70.00. A gift was given to the School of Nursing from the Alumnae Association at the annual student Christmas party.

We have a balance of $940.00 in our savings account and $35.00 in our checking account.

CLEVELAND COUNTY HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

GASTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

MERCY HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Betty Fesperman, R. N., Charlotte, President

No Report

PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Thelma Cavin, R. N., Charlotte, President

The Presbyterian Hospital Alumnae Association held regular monthly meetings, except July and August, with a variety of interesting programs. Average attendance has been approximately fourteen.

Programs were as follows: November, 1960-"Some Problems of Industrial Nursing"; December 1960-Christmas Party and Election of Officers; January 1961- Installation of Officers; February 1961-"Geriatrics - 1961"; March 1961- "Christianity versus Communism" - Youth for Christ; April 1961- "Direct Distance Dialing"; May 1961- "Intensive Care"; June 1961- Homecoming--Picnic and Baby Show; August 1961- Alumnae-Senior Banquet; September 1961- "Investments for Career Women".

Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing has graduated 1290 nurses. This year the Alumnae Honor Pin was given to Sue Edwards, supervisor at Presbyterian Hospital. A gift of $50.00 was presented to a deserving member of 1961 Graduating Class.

The Annie Rhyne Scholarship fund is helping four students at the present time.

Alumnae News is published and sent to each graduate before homecoming.

Other officers are: First Vice-President, Marlene Miere; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Velma Washington; Secretary, Mrs. Alice Martin; Treasurer, Mrs. Shirley Bartlett; Directors, Lela Russell, Mrs. Grace McIlray, Donna Shulenburger, and Mildred Freeman.

DISTRICT SIX TWO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

CABARRUS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Marjorie Means, R. N., Winecoff, President

No Report

ROWAN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Shirley Tutterow, R. N., Salisbury, President

The Rowan Memorial Hospital Alumnae Association has had several meetings during the year with Jean Jordan serving as secretary.

The Association presented the members of the 1961 Graduating Class with a gift of one years subscription to the American Journal of Nursing.

DISTRICT SEVEN ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

LEAKSVILLE HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Catherine Hambrick, R. N., Leaksville, President

No Report

DISTRICT EIGHT ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

ST. LEO'S ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Paulyne Kenney, R. N., Greensboro, President

St. Leo's Alumnae Association remains active, holding two meetings yearly with 200 paid members.

At the December 1960 business meeting, held in the dining area of Cone Memorial Hospital, other officers for 1961 were elected as follows: First Vice-President, Mrs. Emily Woodard; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Ruth Wicker; Secretary, Mrs. Nancy Cross; Treasurer, Josephine Wade. Board of Directors: Mrs. Cleo Greeson, 1961-62, Mrs. Isabel Brooks Greeson 1961-62; Hazel Fields, 1961, and Mrs. Joyce Marshall Jones, 1961.

On June 27, 1961 a luncheon meeting was held at Starmount Country Club with forty-five present including three honorary members—Mrs Z. V Conyers, Mrs. Jamie Phipps, and Mrs. Edith Halladay who were presented corsages.

Plan to continue communication with each graduate and promote interest in Nursing and Nursing Education.

DISTRICT NINE ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

HIGH POINT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Clara Byrum, R. N., High Point, President

Other officers are: Hazel Johnson, First Vice-President; Mrs. Loretta Groome, Second Vice-President; Mrs. Hope Loflin, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Linda Grubb, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Ann Clapp, Treasurer. Directors; Ann Parsons, Mrs. Frances Ameen, Mrs. Margaret Kearns, and Mrs. Clara McPherson.

Our Association has a membership of one hundred and fifteen and has met every two months with the Annual Homecoming being held in July at the High Point City Lake.

The programs have been varied and interesting. In May the group enjoyed a film and demonstration of "Rescue Breathing" and "External Cardiac Massage" by Dr. Max Rogers.

A scholarship of $450.00 has been awarded by the Association to a qualified student entering the nursing school this fall. Devotionals are conducted each month for the students by an Alumnae member.

DISTRICT TEN NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT ELEVEN FOUR ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DUKE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Shirley Davis Martin, R. N., Durham, President

The Duke University School of Nursing Alumnae Association set forth a schedule for their meetings which would provide an alternation between educational and entertaining programs.

In September, 1960, a panel of six doctors, headed by Dr. Lenox Baker, discussed "What Is an Ideal Nurse?" The interne's, resident's and staff physician's point of view was presented. After a very enlightening program, refreshments were served in The Hanes House Living Room.

October brought a fall fashion meeting. Through the generaous cooperation of Montaldo's of Durham, a Fashion Revue was presented. Five of our own members modeled. The management provided refreshments during the showing. Following,the business session was held at the home of Mrs. Betty Wilder.

Thelma Ingles (Director of Graduate Program, Duke University School of Nursing) discussed the relationship between Nursing Service and Nursing Education. It was not only interesting, but certainly helpful to understand how our School of Nursing has changed during the past years. Mrs. Mamie Hampton served Russian Tea and sweet cakes at her home for our November meeting.

"Merry Christmas" echoed throughout Duke Hospital. The Nurses Alumnae Association met with the Graduate Nurse Organization and presented a Musical Program for the patients. The Student Nurses presented choral selections, Nancy Pope sang "Sweet Little Jesus Boy", religious readings, group singing and piano music followed. The patients seemed to enjoy the presentation, "What Can I Give for Christmas?", by Gloria White.

January brought further education----a peek into the future! Lelia Clark, Director of Nursing Service, Duke Hospital, presented a discussion on "Perspectives"----our hospital in ten years. It was fascinating, exciting and almost unbelievable. We will be growing by leaps and bounds! Mrs. Annette Thompson entertained the local group of Alumnae members in her home.

February saw all of the officers joining together to create the Duke School of Nursing Alumnae Association's NewsLetter. It was a record of the school, a contact with classmates, other nurses and Duke in 1961.

March meeting was held on Hair Styling at Valer's Beauty Salon. We learned what to do with what we have--hair wise! We learned a great many secrets about "Health, Glamorous Hair".

Mrs. Bayard Carter entertained the Alumnae in her home in April. At this time plans were made for the Annual Alumnae-Senior Banquet which was held in May in the Union Ballroom, West Campus, Duke University. Dr. William Peete addressed the Graduating Seniors -- "Nurses for Tomorrow". Mr. Charles Duke, Director of Alumnae Affairs for Duke University, was also honored at this time for untiring help and support given to the School of Nursing.

Everyone worked to make the Florence K. Wilson Scholarship Fund a useable program, and from these efforts of Alumnae members and friends, enough money was made available to make two student awards for 1961-1962. The support and interest evidenced in the Florence K. Wilson Scholarship Fund has made each member proud of her Alumnae Organization, proud of its progress and its ability to serve the student body of Duke University School of Nursing.

Other new officers for 1961-1962 are: First Vice-President, Anna Jane Cooper Painter; Second Vice-President, Dorothy Wilkinson; Correspondent Secretary, Mary Ella Robertson Vause; Recording Secretary, Gladys Shorrock Lewis; Treasurer, Jo Anne Chavis Mitchell; Board of Directors (3-year term) Dorothy Lingle Kamin; (one year term) Margot Ann Regen and Ann Brueggeman. Ex officio board member, Gloria Meyer White.

LINCOLN HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. L. B. Miller, R. N., Durham, President

The Lincoln Hospital Alumnae Association holds its monthly meetings every third Wednesday of each month.

Other officers are: Vice-President, Mrs. L. B. Thrope; Secretary, Miss B. L. Gavin; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. E. W. Price; Treasurer, Mrs. C. M. Harris; Directors, Mrs. H. Webb, Chairman, Mrs. C. C. Hayes, Mrs. C. M. Umstead; Parliamentarian, Mrs. E. Thrope.

We have the following seven standing committees which are functioning very well: Finance, Membership, Nomination, Program and Social, Nursing Information, Constitution and Bylaws, and Miscellaneous.

We have been doing different things to stimulate the attendance at our meetings. We also have put on different types of projects to raise money for our Association.

During the year October 1, 1960 to September 30, 1961, some of our members have attended different workshops in North Carolina. Flowers and cards are sent to all members who are shut in; contributed to the United Fund and Christmas Cheer; gave Christmas gifts to each student of Lincoln School of Nursing; on September 9, 1961, we had our annual luncheon with the Graduating Class as guest; on September 10, at the Commencement Exercise, a prize of $10.00 was given to the student who had been the neatest for three years; a donation of $100.00 was given to Lincoln Hospital School of Nursing for the purchasing of books for the Library.

UNC SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

WATTS HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Jessie C. O'Neill, R. N., Durham, President

Other officers are: Mrs. G. A. Hobbie, First Vice-President; Mary Newton, Second Vice-President; Myra Parfitt, Secretary; and Barbara Evans, Treasurer.

The Association is 52 years old and seeks to stimulate mutual help, improvement in professional work and good fellowship among the graduates of Watts School of Nursing. It also promotes the professional and educational advancement of nursing.

The Association gives a nursing scholarship each year, sponsors and annual Graduation Banquet for nurses from the Watts School, provides assistance and guidance to student nurses and contributes a gift each Christmas to the School of Nursing.

Monthly meetings of the Association are held. At the September meeting a recent Watts graduate who spent the summer in Ghana, Africa, spoke on her experiences and compared nursing procedures in Ghana with those of the United States.

DISTRICT TWELVE ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

HAMLET HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Elizabeth Clewis, R. N., Hamlet, President

Other officers are: First Vice-President, Mrs. Ethel Boney; Second Vice-President, Mary Alice Freeman; Secretary, Mrs. Lucy Billingsley; Treasurer, Mrs. L. P. Billingsley.

The Association has a total membership of eighteen and an average attendance of fifteen at the monthly meetings which are held on the first Tuesday night of each month, excluding June and July.

Projects included obtaining glee club director for student Glee Club, subscribed for three copies of American Journal of Nursing for the Library of Nurses' Home, served as hostess for the District Nurses' Dinner, financing half of the expenses; and helped to finance two students attending National Student Convention.

The Association annually gives an Alumnae Award to most outstanding senior at graduation. This is given in honor of the late Dr. W. D. James.

At each monthly meeting we held a white elephant sale to help raise additional funds. Highlight of the year was Homecoming Picnic held at Boyds' Lake and former graduates were contacted.

DISTRICT THIRTEEN FOUR ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DOROTHY DIX ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Ophelia Whitley, R. N., Raleigh, President

No Report

MARY ELIZABETH HORPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. V. L. Utter, R. N., Raleigh, President

No Report

REX HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Phyllis Bone, R. N., Raleigh, President

Other officers are: First Vice-President, Mrs. Marguerite Reeve; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Letha Fowler; Secretary, Mrs. Hazel Smith; Treasurer, Mrs. Ann Grissom; Directors, Mrs. Lillian Roberts, Mrs. Mabel Roberts, Mrs. Dorothy Allen, and Jean Owens.

The Association's total paid membership for 1961 is 130, have had three general meetings and one Board of Directors meeting.

January 24, 1961--A Board of Directors meeting was held to discuss plans for the coming year. Chairmen of standing committees were appointed, and work for the year was planned.

February 13, 1961--A regular meeting was held at the home of one of the members. After the business was discussed, Jeanne Riddle, Director of Nurses, Wake County Memorial Hospital, gave an interesting talk on the hospital.

May 8, 1961--A regular meeting was held at the home of one of the members. The meeting was devoted to the selection of a Rex Student to receive the Scholarship given annually by the Rex Alumnae Association.

September 11, 1961--A regular meeting was held to discuss plans for Homecoming to be held in November 1961, at the Daniels' House, Rex Nurses' Home, Raleigh, North Carolina. We expect approximately 150 members to participate.

ST. AGNES HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Manice A. Parks, R. N., Raleigh, President

No Report

DISTRICT FOURTEEN ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

HIGHSMITH MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Frances U. Monk, R. N., Fayetteville, President

The Highsmith Memorial Hospital Alumnae Association has a membership of fifty-one. The Association has held twelve regular meetings and two special meetings, with an average attendance of twenty-five.

Programs for the year have varied from lectures on "staphlococcal infections" to "interior decorating". Covered dish suppers have been enjoyed by the group as fund raising projects. The Graduating Class was entertained by the Alumnae with a dinner party and an afternoon tea. At Christmas, food for a needy family was collected, and a deaf child was adopted and presented gifts by the group.

The Louise Lloyd Owen Memorial Fund continues to grow, and is being used by several students.

Two newsletters have been sent to members and a homecoming which is held

every three years, is planned for October. Every effort is being made to secure the addresses of every Alumnae member.

Other officers are: First Vice-President, Mrs. Eunice E. Brooks; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Marjorie N. McRainey; Secretary, Mrs. Martha B. Bramble; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Marion C. Cannady; Treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth F. Pusey.

DISTRICT FIFTEEN ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

SOUTHEASTERN GENERAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Grace Smith, R. N., Lumberton, President

The Southeastern General Hospital School of Nursing Alumnae Association held monthly meetings with the exception of July and August. Programs of much interest were planned. They were as follows: October 1960 - Reading "How Much Can A Man Endure?", Mrs. Frances Britt; Report of workshop on "Burns", Mrs. Clara Carroll November 1960 - Report of NCSNA Convention, Mrs. Grace Smith. December 1960 - Annual Covered Dish Supper and Christmas Party. January 1961 - Election and Installation of Officers; pictures made by Mrs. Helena Herring while on Western Trip with family. February 1961 - Film - "The Patient as A Person". March 1961 - Film - "Pre-Operative Nursing Care". April 1961 -"Chest Surgery and Negative Chest Suction",Dr. D. E. Ward. May 1961 - Film - "Retarded Children". June 1961 - Steak Supper at Baker's Cottage, White Lake. September 1961 - "Flower Arrangement", Mrs. John Culbreth.

Other officers are: First Vice-President, Mrs. Elizabeth Nye; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Elva Williams; Treasurer, Mrs. Pearl Sessoms; Secretary, Mrs. Vonnie Norment; Directors, Julia Ann Smith, Mrs. Annie Ivey, Mrs. Marie Batts, Ethel Barfield.

There are fifty-three Alumnae and five Honorary Members with the average attendance of fifteen.

Projects for the year have been pictures of former graduating classes placed in album for preservation. Membership cards were given to the fifteen members of 1960 graduating class. Cards were sent to sick and bereaved alumnae. Poinsettias sent to four elderly nurses at Christmas. Red roses were presented to May Queen at the May Day Program given by the students of Southeastern General Hospital School of Nursing.

DISTRICT SIXTEEN NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT SEVENTEEN ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

ROANOKE RAPIDS HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Mary Davis, R. N., Roanoke Rapids, President

The Roanoke Rapids Hospital Alumnae Association has a membership of forty-five.

The Association supported the Guild in their annual fund raising event by purchasing a $25 ad.

Balance on hand - - - - $84.41

CAROLINA GENERAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Juanita Haskins, R. N., Bailey, President

The Carolina General Hospital Alumnae Association has a total of thirty-four paid members. Our meetings are held the first Thursday night in each month except July and August, with an average attendance of twenty-five. The June meeting was a Dutch Supper at the Ship-and-Shore Restaurant. The December meeting is a Christmas Party. The meetings are held in the homes of our members. Our programs for the year have been entertaining and educational.

The Alumnae Association has been active during the past year. It has contributed to the various civic drives; the sick and bereaved members have been cooperated with the two other Alumnae Associations in Wilson to provide a scholarship for a deserving student in The Wilson School of Nursing. We were hostess to District Eighteen Nurses' Association; sent a delegate to NCSNA convention, and also joined with the other two Alumnae Associations and entertained the Graduating Class of the Wilson School of Nursing at a banquet and dance at the Wilson Country Club. Each Graduate was remembered with a gift.

Our Alumnae Association feels a great loss in the death of one of our most faithful members, Mrs. Rebecca Brantley Hobgood, on September 2, 1961.

Other officers are: Vice-President, Mrs. Pauline Shingleton; Secretary, Mrs. Carolyn Bogue; Treasurer, Mrs. Grace Sullivan.

WILSON SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Shirley E. Dail, R. N., Wilson, President

This year we had a total of thirty-eight paid members with an average attendance at the nine meetings of 8-12 members. This is the largest membership we have had since the beginning of this Alumnae. Our meetings are held the first Tuesday night in each month.

Other officers are: Vice-President, Mrs. Violet Thorne; Secretary, Mrs. Mary J. Causley; Treasurer, Mrs. Corraine Logan.

Following is a brief account of each meeting: September 1960 - General Business, discussion of newsletter to be started; October 1960 - General Business, discussion of who would attend the state convention and prospective members; November, 1960 - Plans were made for Christmas Party to be a Dutch Supper at Parker's Bar B Q House; December 1960 - Christmas Party; January 1961 - General Business, then a film was presented on "Rescue Breathing"; February 1961- General Business, and our first newsletter was addressed and sent out to members; March 1961 - General Business, then Mrs. Mary J. Causley gave an informative talk on the experience the students are getting now in working for a certain period at Eastern North Carolina Sanatorium in care and treatment of T B patients; April 1961 - Nominating Committee was elected to form a ballot for new officers for 1961-62 term. Mrs. Lela Durham gave an interesting talk on "The Use of Ultra-Violet in the Operating Room"; May 1961 - Election of new officers and plans were made for the annual banquet given in honor of the Senior Class of Wilson School of Nursing, by the Woodard-Herring Alumnae Association, the Carolina General Alumnae Association and members of our Alumnae. The banquet was given July 23 at the Country Club followed by a dance, to which members of the Junior Class and their escorts were invited. Together with the two other Alumnae Associations

a pair of cuff links were presented to each senior.

In addition to above mentioned projects accounted for in the meeting, we gave a Christmas gift to a deserving Senior; $50 was put in Building Loan and Saving account to be used for a future homecoming which we hope to have in 1962; the Newsletter of our Alumnae was started and was sent out twice during the year to the active and inactive paid members; we were hostess to District Eighteen of NCSNA meeting in June; throughout the year cards or flowers were sent to sick or bereaved members.

WOODARD-HERRING HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Roy F. Beland, R. N., Wilson, President

The Woodard-Herring Hospital Alumnae Association has twenty-five regular members and three associate members, and has monthly meetings except in July and August.

Activities have been somewhat limited this year. We entertained the Graduating Class of The Wilson School of Nursing at a Banquet and Dance in July; have sent flowers, cards to sick members.

Other officers are: Vice-President, Mrs. Betty Stuart; Secretary, Mrs. Dora Holley; Treasurer, Mrs. Nancy Duncan.

DISTRICT NINETEEN — NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT TWENTY — TWO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

PARK VIEW HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Virginia C. Jenkins, R. N., Rocky Mount, President

Other officers are: Mrs. Margaret Ballentine, First Vice-President; Mrs. Dorothy McLamb, Secretary; Mrs. Margaret Hengeveld, Treasurer.

The Park View Alumnae Association has a membership of fifty-four and meets each month except July and August. The programs have been varied including lectures by staff doctors, movies and included an interesting talk by a foreign exchange student.

The Alumnae made donations to the Heart Fund and Cancer Fund this year. Served as hostess for District Twenty meetings twice during year. All sick or bereaved members were remembered with gifts or flowers. Had Christmas Party and joint supper meeting with other Alumnae Association in Rocky Mount; and, entertained Graduating Class with reception. We have a balance in the treasury of $159.22.

ROCKY MOUNT SANITARIUM ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Pauline B. Jones, R. N., Rocky Mount, President

Other officers are: Vice-President, Mrs. Lottie Stallings; Secretary, Mrs. Lena B. Hayes; Treasurer, Mrs. Pauline Layton; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Clyde Mann.

The Alumnae held its monthly meetings as follows: September 1960 - Regular Meeting; October 1960 - Dr. K. D. Weeks gave a very informative talk about "Strokes", also delegates gave report of NCSNA convention; November 1960 - Regular Meeting, also Mrs. Elizabeth Lowrance gave a very interesting report of

NCSNA convention; December 1960 - Joint Christmas Party with Park View Hospital Alumnae Association; June 1961 - Mrs. Elizabeth Lowrance entertained the Alumnae with outdoor dinner for members and their families; September 1961 - Very interesting and informative film shown by representative from Smith, Kline & French Laboratories on "External Cardiac Massage". Regular meetings January to May.

The Alumnae was hostess to the District Twenty of NCSNA twice. The sick and bereaved were remembered with flowers and cards; contributions were also given to several civic organizations; average attendance was eighteen; treasurer's report - Balance $364.00.

DISTRICT TWENTY-ONE ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

LENOIR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Iris Jackson, R. N., Kinston, President

The Lenoir Memorial Hospital Alumnae Association has a membership of twenty-four and an average attendance of twelve.

Programs during the year included two lectures on "Fight Against Communism", "Socialized Medicine","Pros & Cons of Senate Bill 23" (increase in licensure application fees), a lecture on "First Aid and Safety" and possible redistricting of District Twenty-One so as to cut down on distance to travel in order to attend meetings; a film on Europe shown by one of our staff.

A drive has been made to promote better membership in ANA and our local Alumnae Association.

In early Spring and late Fall of last year a fruitful recruitment program was underway and approximately twelve high schools were visited, locally and afar.

The Annual Christmas Party, and Picnic in June were held.

DISTRICT TWENTY-TWO ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

JAMES WALKER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Lillian Newton, R. N., Wilmington, President

Other officers are: Vice-President, Joyce Hewett; Treasurer, Mrs. Gladys R. Wilson; Secretary, Martha Starnes.

The James Walker Memorial Hospital School of Nursing Alumnae Association has had an active year, and one of which we are proud. We have had monthly meetings excluding the summer months, and have had an average attendance of eighteen per meeting. Planned programs, not only in the field of medicine, but entertaining, informative and educational as well, have been presented at our meetings. Through a newsletter sent out in January to all our graduates, we have tried to find as many of our lost members as possible, bring our address book up-to-date, and increase our membership to an all time high. We have increased our membership from 86 in 1960 to 202 in 1961.

In December, our members enjoyed a covered dish supper and Christmas Party at the Nurses' Residence. The student nurses were given a Christmas gift and a needy family was remembered with clothes and food. During the year, we gave a TV set to the County Home. This TV set was acquired several years ago for

shut-ins and having served its purpose, we gave it permanently to the shut-ins at the County Home.

At Graduation Exercises, our Association presented a scholarship award pin to the graduate with the highest scholastic average for the three years. Each new graduate was given a school cap and an invitation to join our Association. The new students were entertained with a pool party and Hamburger Fry at the Cape Fear Country Club Pool.

Throughout the year, members of the Alumnae Association were remembered in sickness and death with cards and flowers.

An accurate up-tp-date address book, a desire to find all of our lost members, the adoption of a standard uniform for our school of nursing, and a scholarship for higher education in the nursing field are a few of our aspirations for the coming year.

DISTRICT TWENTY-THREE	NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
DISTRICT TWENTY-FOUR	NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
DISTRICT TWENTY-FIVE	NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
DISTRICT TWENTY-SIX	NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
DISTRICT TWENTY-SEVEN	NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
DISTRICT TWENTY-EIGHT	NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION